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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

Watterson wants to know if there is a Democratic party. He should apply to congress.

New York is taking measures to preserve her forests. Should not Pennsylvania do likewise?

New Hampshire Democrats are cheering for Hancock. They would like to start a boom in his interest.

The paving of Omaha streets with jasper will not fool anyone into mistaking that God-forsaken town on the prairies for the New Jerusalem.

The problem which the able and influential Democracy is trying to solve to-day is, What will Wallace do? It won't take very long to find out.

The independent Republicans of New York appear to be for Edmunds and Lincoln. The majority of the New York delegation in the national convention will be for Blaine.

The investigation into the causes leading to the loss of the Jeannette and the failure to rescue her crew has led to the discovery that Engineer Melville was in the habit of getting drunk.

Matthew Arnold was more fortunate in his American experiences than Oscar Wilde was. The people found out that Oscar Wilde was considerable of a goose before he left the country.

Every day brings renewed indications of Blaine's increasing strength. In New York State the Republican leaders are forsaking Arthur and rallying around Blaine's standard. Centre county stands almost alone in its refusal to send *only* pronounced Blaine men to the State Convention.

People throughout the country agree in denouncing the Cincinnati riot, but the residents of that city act as if they haven't yet had half enough of it. It is difficult to appreciate the deep-seated feeling that exists among them in reference to the prevailing lax administration of justice.

It would be a graceful compliment if the Republicans would make General Simon Cameron the leader of the delegation to Chicago. And it would be a good thing for the party, in this State and out of it. His voice would be potential.—*Pittsburg Commercial Gazette.* We differ with the *Gazette* and hope the Republicans will be satisfied to let Cameron figure as a wall flower this season.

Matthew Arnold's observations on Chicago are severe enough to suggest the horrid suspicion that he was ignored by Carter Harrison on the occasion of his visit to the city. Thus may a little oversight on the part of a great official lead to vexation of spirit and international bitterness. Mayor Harrison should send a note of apology to Mr. Arnold, accompanied by a Chicago ham as an assurance of good faith.

The cause of the angry popular feeling that eventuated in the Cincinnati riot may be traced in certain statistics. In 1883 there were about 1,500 murders committed and only ninety-three of the murderers executed. The law fixes death as the penalty for murder, and establishes the courts to try the murderers and the juries to convict them. The disparity between the number of crimes and the number of executions is quite large enough to justify more than a suspicion that the courts and juries do not stand up to their work. A better record for the coming year is in order.

Democracy and the Tariff.

We ask our readers to comprehend, if they can, the attitude of the Democracy on the subject of the tariff. It treated that question without indulging in any positive declarations, as it has always done, and with its usual dexterity. The Pittsburg *Commercial Gazette* calls attention to this fact by remarking that the convention adopted the Ohio plank, with the additional declaration that "the internal revenue system should be abolished" and "such adjustment made of existing tariff duties as will be consistent with its principles"—that is to say, the principles embodied in the Ohio plank, which is a double-dealing declaration in favor of a "tariff for revenue" with such "incidental protection" as will best facilitate free trade.

The consistency of this position is most forcibly illustrated in the light of the interpretation which the Ohio Democracy placed upon this modified deliverance on the tariff question. That same convention June 21, 1882,] denounced the act of the Republican Congress reducing the duty on wool as "iniquitous legislation, discriminating in favor of monopoly and against the agricultural interests of the country, which ought to be corrected. When a bill was before the Democratic House, a few days ago, to restore the duty on wool and thus "correct the iniquitious legislation against the agricultural interests," it was voted down by the Democratic majority as vicious legislation, calculated to enhance the prices of clothing and blankets! Who is there so dull he cannot see that the Ohio tariff plank, which it is proposed to incorporate in the National platform, is but a delusion and a snare, and no matter when or where uttered is not the sentiment of the party and will not govern its action?

The labor question, which is so intimately connected with that of the tariff, was treated in the same insincere and perfunctory manner. It is declared that "every legitimate effort of labor to better its condition, enhance its rewards and protect its rights, commands the sympathy and support of the Democratic party." Why, is it, then, that the measures which are being earnestly urged by the knights of Labor and kindred industrial organizations, are not passed? The Democrats have a majority of about seventy in the House, and, if they were so disposed, could show their "sympathy" with the efforts of the working classes to better their condition by passing some of the numerous bills now awaiting their action.

Congress has been in session over four months, and not a single labor measure has been seriously considered, much less adopted. There is the bill to enforce the Eight-hour law in the Government departments, that for the establishment of a National Bureau of Labor Statistics, the bill for the prohibition of the importation of foreign laborers under contract, the bill to legalize National trades unions, and others of a like character, in all of which the working classes take a deep interest. Why does not the Democratic House, with its large working majority, give some practical evidence of its "sympathy and support" for the working people by passing these laws?

In the light of these facts we submit whether the Democratic tariff plank is not a specimen of straddling of the most ridiculously awkward and unseemly character. Its only redeeming feature is that it is so consistently inconsistent that it will not greatly shock the public sense, since nothing better could be expected from that quarter.

General Grant is having a good time at Washington visiting old friends, smoking, talking politics, and speculating on the result in the Chicago convention. He says he is not a candidate. Ahem!

The Coming Convention.

Congressman Bayne, whose positive and earnest leadership of the people's cause gives weight to his words, speaks out plainly in an interview printed in the Philadelphia *Press* concerning the Republican State Convention of next week. He says, what is clear to every observer, remarks the *Press*, that the friends of Mr. Blaine will have an overwhelming majority of the Convention. The delegates actually instructed constitute nearly or quite three-fourths. The undisputed sentiment of the people and the distinct pledges of the delegates fix its position and define its course.

But, while it will thus be an undoubted Blaine Convention, Mr. Bayne gives information of an effort on the part of Blaine's opponents to capture its control. Of course no such attempt would be openly made. It would not be put forward as an avowed anti-Blaine movement. Such a stamp would at once defeat it. But it would be made upon the plea of personal friendship and under cover of the claim that there was no issue of Blaine or anti-Blaine in the question of organization. It would, if it had any effect at all, be calculated to mislead earnest Blaine men who did not measure its true significance, and to allow pretended Blaine men, if any such there were, to serve the ends of his opponents without incurring the reproach of being faithless to their trust.

It is against such an effort, of which he says he has information, that Colonel Bayne gives warning. He urges that the friends of Mr. Blaine should stand together from the very beginning, and that none of them should permit themselves to become entangled, through any personal appeals, in such a way as to prevent their hearty co-operation at every stage of the Convention for the success of Pennsylvania's choice. He advises them to go to Harrisburg uncommitted on all questions save the one upon which they are instructed by the people. His timely counsel should be heard and heeded throughout the State. There ought to be no occasion for any controversy or any division in the Convention. Now that the sentiment of the State, has been so clearly spoken it should be frankly and faithfully followed. The will of the people must be the law of the party.

We take it for granted that the Convention will give explicit and emphatic expression to the choice of the State, and will instruct the State delegates, and that there will be no mistake about it. And we also take it for granted, especially since the note of warning has been sounded, that the faithful representatives of the party will observe the spirit and the letter of their instructions and act together for the cause which is committed to their hands.

From the edition of Messrs. Geo. P. Rowell's American Newspaper Directory, now in press, it appears that the newspapers and periodicals of all kinds at present issued in the United States and Canada reach a grand total of 13,402. This is a net gain of precisely 1,600 during the last twelve months, and exhibits an increase of 5,618 over the total number published just ten years since. The increase in 1874 over the total for 1873 was 498. During the past year the dailies have increased from 1,138 to 1,254; the weeklies from 9,025 to 10,028; the monthlies from 1,091 to 1,499. The greatest increase is in the Western States. Illinois, for instance, now shows 1,009 papers in place of last year's total of 904, while Missouri issues 604 instead of the 523 reported in 1883. Other leading Western States also exhibit a great percentage of increase. The total number of papers in New York State is 1,523, against 1,399 in 1883. Canada has shared in the general increase.

Did March mistake the cheers on her departure for an encore?

An Unusual Convention.

The Republican County Convention which met in Bellefonte at noon on the 8th instant heralded, as we believe a new era in the Republican party of Centre. It was called at an unusual time and under somewhat unusual circumstances. It occurred during a comparatively busy season not only in the agricultural districts but also in the towns. But the attendance was larger than is the case at the ordinary fall Conventions of the party in this county. The interest manifested was unusually intense and the proceedings of the meeting elicited the energies of all the participants in an extraordinary degree. Cannot this interest on the part of Centre Republicans be continued in all the movements of the party. If it is, the party hereabouts will be wonderfully strengthened. We heard a Democrat remark recently that within ten years Centre county will be Republican. Unexpected activity in the party will hasten the fulfillment of this prophecy to the surprise of even such liberal Democrats.

No one will dispute that the Presidential sentiment of the convention was overwhelmingly in favor of Hon. James G. Blaine. A greater proportion of delegates in favor of his nomination were sent to the convention than even the most ardent friends of that honorable gentleman had counted on. There was practically no opposing sentiment and the Republican party of this county can be considered a unit for Blaine.

The resolutions adopted by the Convention are supposed to represent its sentiments as we believe they always should. People have a perfect right to judge of the sentiment of a popular body by the resolutions it adopts. Therefore, we regret that in a single instance these declarations were not held in due regard.

In the choice of most of its representatives to the State convention and the district and senatorial conferences the convention was most happy. It is with pleasure we record the very harmonious and profitable proceedings and the prospects before the party in Centre seem brighter than ever.

He Deserves It.

It is our policy to reward merit on all occasions. Military skill and genius should be regarded by a grateful people as worthy of the highest reward, and since the war ended our highest places of power have been filled by eminent military men, almost to the exclusion of mere statesmen. This is perfectly proper although it has had it natural affect of arousing opposition in the minds of some people against an individual merely because he has General, Major or Colonel attached to his name. With this sentiment, however, we do not sympathise.

But it is the duty of the people of this country to consider high statesmanship worthy of special reward, and of all the statesmen whom our country has produced during the past two decades none are more brilliant than Blaine. In Congress, where he spent so much of his public career, he was always a leader and that, too, during its most notable periods. There are no men now in the legislative halls who equal him. This is acknowledged by all old-time visitors to Congress. As further illustration of his statesmanlike qualities, the few shortmonths of Garfield's administration were the most notable that this country has ever experienced, and almost all the measures that characterized it so brilliantly have since been proved to have emanated from Blaine, who was then Secretary of State. This one consideration alone should be sufficient to secure his nomination and election.

The Spring elections in the West show a rising tide of Republicanism in Indiana and Ohio.

That Love Feast.

The Democratic party met in Allentown on Wednesday, April 9. Oh no, it wasn't the Democratic *party* either—only a few representatives of it. Randall ruled the roost and had things all his own way. He is aware that an out-and-out free trade policy wont satisfy Pennsylvanians and consequently he concealed the real meaning of his declarations in language that is easy to be misunderstood. It is really the same as "a tariff for revenue only," such as the Democrats adopted in 1880, to their sorrow. What other meaning can be drawn from it? These Democrats are willing to sacrifice all the business of the country on the pretext that "government economically administered" requires only so much revenue and no more. A duty on foreign importations to enable our own manufacturers to sell at a fair competing price will not be permitted if the government don't need it. Such a declaration is ridiculous in the extreme. The other planks in the platform, such as approval of the extra session, etc., are on a par with it. The Democratic convention, although a love feast, may be denominated a failure.

The Ohio Republicans, remarks the Pittsburg *Dispatch*, seem to have appreciated the fact that this is the Presidential year, from the returns of recent city elections. With Republican victories in Cleveland, Youngstown, Massillon, and Steubenville, and Republican gains in Toledo, Columbus, Dayton, and Cincinnati, it seems evident that the Republicans of that state are recovering from the demoralization which has affected them for the last two years. On the ordinary issues Ohio is Republican, but that party has been so badly torn up over the liquor question of late that it has undergone some serious reverses and has been rated by some sanguine Democrats as a doubtful state for the presidential contest this year But this division was in the cities, and the result therefore indicates that the weakening effect of the liquor discussion is over.

Arrangements are on foot for a very comprehensive exhibition of American products and manufactures, to take place in London in 1885. The idea is a good one, for the fact is that America has never made a favorable showing at any of the foreign exhibitions. In London and Paris we made comparatively light displays, our railroads not exhibiting at all, and in Vienna our efforts were not commendable, and were rendered abortive by the conduct of the American department. At Amsterdam last year we were represented only by a few sewing machines and parlor organs. It has been seen, however, at the centennial and the Atlanta exhibitions, and at the fisheries exhibition in London in 1883, that there is almost no department, natural or artificial, in which America cannot offer an exhibition that shall be generally attractive.

The suggestion of Carl Schurz as the successor of Mr. Sargent as Minister to Berlin indicates a method of doing poetic justice that would perhaps be an improvement upon the prevailing idea of leaving the post vacant. The appearance of Mr. Schurz at the German court, as the representative of the great republic of modern times, would be a splendid illustration of how the whirligig of time bring around its revenges. It might not be very pleasant for Germany to be reminded of the lively hunt of 36 years ago, in which he ran with the foxes while the present emperor and his prime minister hunted with the hounds. But it is not especially incumbent upon the United States to guard the absolutist susceptibilities of Germany, and that consideration will hardly present an obstacle to his appointment.

The colored woman who nursed Blaine when he was a baby are becoming as numerous as the last remaining body-servant of the lamented Washington.

GENERAL NOTES.

No Chinaman is allowed in the Cœur d'Alene diggings.

London milkmen and newsboys use tricycles in their daily rounds.

Germany has increased its beet crop in ten years from 3,000,000 to 8,500,000 tons.

Itis said 6050 boys and 2000 girls under 15 years of age are employed in Chicago factories in violation of law.

Nearly 40,000,000 pounds of maple sugar were produced in this country last year. Pennsylvania supplied 2,866,010 pounds.

The annual report of School Superintendent Jasper, of New York City, shows that the average attendance in the public schools is 143,177.

One of the novel features of the National Health Exhibition, to be held shortly in London, will be a crematorium in full working order.

Montreal is making a practical experiment with underground wires, and it is thought that the method under consideration will be adopted this spring.

The typhus fever has broken out among the Poles in the East Side (New York) tenements The disease is traced to emigrants on two steamships lately arrived.

The number of Ohioans living in New York City has proven so large that there is talk of forming an Ohio Society, to be modeled after the famous New England Society.

The directors of the Louisville Board of Trade have endorsed the action of the New York Chamber of Commerce, asking Congress to stop the coinage of silver dollars.

Superintendent Walling, of the New York police department, is seriously ill from nervous prostration. Over work and legislative investigations are the assigned causes.

The Government Inspector of Live Stock reports four-fifths of the sheep in La Prairie county, Canada, infected with disease. The inspected districts have been quarantined.

Teeth-shaping or denticulation, as the dentists call it, is the latest craze in dentistry. By means of a liquid application the teeth are softened and pressed into a desirable shape.

St. George's, Hanover Square, is no longer the ultra-fashionable place for London weddings All those who wish to be among the leaders in style are now married at Westminster Abbey.

There has not been half the usual catch of shad this season, and fishermen have had as poor luck with many other kind of fish. Mackerel, haddock, and halibut are also scarce and small.

The watch and chain presented by President Garfield to Rustem Effendi, Secretary of the Turkish legation, which was stolen from him by garroters at New York, has been recovered by detectives.

The Mexican Government has made an arrangement with merchants regarding the stamp law which will remove all cause for trouble and anxiety. The situation was at no time as alarming as reported.

A woman who was recently found dead in a St. Louis hotel has since been recognized as a Mrs. Radcliffe, the former wife of a rich resident of New Orleans, and the leading beauty of that city some fifteen or twenty years ago.

President Bergh, of the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, indignantly protests that the chamber of horrors, in the wax work museum, is more demoralizing than all the dime novels in the world.

Pennsylvania has a larger number of post offices than any other State in the Union and from the five States of Illinois, New York, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Ohio more than one-half of the entire postal revenue is derived.

The noted De La Matyr, Greenback congressman and red-hot politician, is now said to be preaching in a Methodist church in St. Paul. He has introduced an orchestra into the choir, consisting of two violins, bass viol and three brass pieces. The old-fashioned members have nearly all left the church, but the house is crowded all the time mostly with young people.

Edinburgh marine station, at Granton, is to be opened on the 10th instant, and a circular issued by the Scottish Meteorological Society invites all naturalists to make free use of the resources of the station. It will be supplied with a floating laboratory, a steam vessel fitted with all modern appliances for sounding, dredging and other biological and physical investigations, and, lastly, a most complete library in marine biology and physics.

Denver has a highwayman who gets a good deal of fun out of his profession. Not content with "holding up" peaceable citizens and taking their money, he makes them perform various antics before letting them go. A pious man on his way to church on a recent Sunday evening he robbed of his contribution and then made him dance a jig and sing a tune. Catching a notoriously wicked wretch some days afterward he made him go down on his knees and repeat the Lord's Prayer.

A clock at Brussels has been going for eight months and has not required to be wound up since it was first set agoing. In fact, the sun does the winding of this timepiece. A shaft exposed to the sun causes an up-draught of air which sets a fan in motion. The fan actuates mechanism which raises the weight of the clock until it reaches the top, and then puts on the brake fan until the weight has gone down a little, when the fan is again liberated and proceeds to act as before

A. H. Swan, of Cheyenne, W. T., controls more stock than any other individual on the continent. His present possessions are valued at between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000, while the amount of stock of which he has the exclusive control and management is over 200,000 head, and valued at over $6,000,000. He was the organizer and is president and general manager of no less than five different stock organizations in Wyoming. He is a native of Greene county, this State, which place he left for the West in 1853, when 22 years of age, with $1,000 in his pocket.

Poetry.

A BOY'S SPEECH.

Who'll step within a grog-shop
A harmless glass to try
Of lemonade or soda?
Not I, oh! no, not I.
I'll go to better places
When I've a dime to spend,
Or when I seek for pleasure,
Or wish to see a friend.

His meat or bread or clothing
Or school books who will buy
From any liquor bondsman?
Not I, indeed, not I.
I'd rather help my neighbor
Who comes with you and me
To fight the liquor traffic
And set the country free.

And when we boys are voters
(We shall be by and by),
Who'll vote for liquor taxes
Or liquor laws? Not I.
I'll go for prohibition
And home protection strong
I'll give my time and money
To help the cause along.

—*Our State Union.*

AN APRIL VISITOR.

When from the East with radiant smiles she came,
Deep in the clear warm light of her sweet eyes
Shone all the glory of bright summer skies,
Until the sullen sun for very shame
Unveiled a gracious face and bathed in flame
The happy day, the while the south wind's sighs,
Soft as the whisper of a wave that dies
Upon a mossy bank, breathed but her name.
When in the West too soon she stole away,
E'en as her fair form passed from out our sight,
Back from the North the winter, cold and gray,
Swept down upon the bleak and lonely night
Widespread the sudden tempest dark and chill,
Yet in the West the glad spring lingers still.

—*Chicago Current.*

WENDELL PHILLIPS.

He saw humanity in tears and chains,
Beaten and robbed, and by the wayside bleeding.
And priest and levite, passing by unheeding
The sufferer's cries and wounds and crimson stains,
And then in eloquent and marvellous strains,
He spoke, and thrilled the nation with his pleading,
Standing by justice, not one step receding;
"Scorning the gift of fame," and golden gains,
That he might better aid the task of raising
The poor downfallen and downtrodden man.
The music of his speech the world is praising,
Made him the eloquent Samaritan,
Whose lips were at the altar touched with coals,
That melted hearts, and kindled kindred souls.

GEO. W. BUNGAY.

THE KAISER AND THE CHANCELLOR.

"Look hier, young man," the Kaiser said,
"Are you der king, or I?"
Prince Bismarck humbly bowed his head,
"You vas der king. But vy?"

"Den if I vas der king vat for
You put on all der airs,
Und get der country into war
And run der whole affairs?"

"Vat for you write dot letters 'bout
Der Lasker pissness, eh?
You better look a leddle out—
I snatch you bald some day."

—*Chicago News.*

Our Story Teller.

Praise Her.

Andrew Lee came home from his shop, where he had worked all day, tired and out of spirits—came home to his wife who was also out of spirits. "A smiling wife and a cheerful home—a paradise it would be!" said Andrew to himself, as he turned his eyes from the clouded face of Mrs. Lee and sat down with knitted brows and moody aspect.

Not a word was spoken by either. Mrs. Lee was getting supper, and she moved about with a weary step.

"Come," she said at last, with a sigh at her husband.

There was invitation in the word only; none in the voice of Mrs. Lee.

Andrew arose and went to the table. He was tempted to speak an angry word, but controlled himself and kept silent. He could find no fault with the chop and the home made bread nor the fragrant tea. They would have cheered his inward man if there had been only a gleam of sunshine on the face of his wife. He noticed that she did not eat.

"Are you not well, Mary?" The words were on his lips, but he did not utter them, for the face of his wife looked so repellant that he feared an irritating reply. And so in moody silence the twain sat together until Andrew had finished his supper.

"This is purgatory!" said Lee to himself, as he commenced walking the floor of their breakfast-room with his hands thrust in his trousers' pockets, and his chin almost touching his breast. After removing all the dishes and taking them into the kitchen, Mrs. Lee spread a green cover on the table, and placing a fresh trimmed lamp thereon, went out and shut the door after her, and leaving her husband alone with his unpleasant feelings. He took a long, deep breath as she did so, paused in his walk, stoood still for some moments, and then drawing a paper from his pocket, sat down by the table, opened the sheet, and commenced reading. Singularly enough the words on which his eyes rested were, "Praise your Wife." They rather tendered to the disturbance of mind from which he was suffering.

"I should like to find some occasion for praising mine." How quickly his thoughts expressed that that ill natured sentiment! But his eyes were on the page before him and read on:

"Praise your wife, man; for pity's sake, give her a little encouragement; it won't hurt her."

Andrew Lee raised his eyes from the page and muttered: "Oh, yes, that's all very well. Praise is cheap enough, but praise her for what? for being sullen and making your home the most disagreeable place in the world? His eyes fell again on the paper.

"She has made your home comfortable, your heart bright and shining, food agreeable; for pity's sake, tell her you thank her, if nothing more; she don't expect it; it will make her eyes open wider than they have in ten years; but it will do her good for all that, and you, too."

It seemed to Andrew as if this sentence were written for him, and just for the occasion. It was a complete answer to his question. "Praise her for what?" and he felt it as a rebuke. He read no further, for thoughts came too busy, and in a new direction. Memory was convicting him of injustice to his wife; she had always made his home as comfortable as her hands could make it, and had he offered the light return of praise or comfort he had experienced? He was not able to recall the time or occasion; as he thought thus, Mrs. Lee came in from the kitchen, and taking her work basket from the closet, placed it on the table, and sitting down without speaking, began to sew. Mr. Lee glanced almost stealthily at the work in her hands, and saw that it was the bosom of a shirt which she was stitching neatly. He knew that it was for him she was at work.

"Praise your wife." The words were before the eyes of his mind and he could not look away from them; but he was not ready for this yet. He still felt moody and unforgiving. The expression on his wife's face he interpreted to mean ill nature, and with ill nature he had no patience. His eyes fell upon the newspaper spread out before him and he read the sentence:

"A kind, cheerful word, spoken in a gloomy house is the rift in the cloud that lets the sunshine through."

Lee struggled with himself a while longer; his own ill nature had to be conquered first; his moody, accusing spirit had to be subdued. He thought of many things to say, yet feared to say them, lest his wife should meet his advance with a cold rebuff. At last, leaning toward her and taking hold of the linen bosom upon which she was at work, he said in a voice carefully modulated with kindness: "You are doing this work very beautifully, Mary."

Mrs. Lee made no reply, but her husband did not fail to observe that she lost almost instantly that rapid erectness with which she had been sitting, and that the motion of the needle had ceased.

"My shirts are better made and whiter than those of any other made in the shop," said Lee, encouraged to go on.

"Are they?" Mrs. Lee's voice was low and had in it a slight huskiness; she did not turn her face, but her husband saw that she leaned a little toward him. He had broken the ice of reserve and all was easy now. His hand was among the clouds and a few feeble rays were already struggling through the rift it had made.

"Yes, Mary," he answered softly; "and I've heard it said more than once what a good wife Andrew Lee must have."

Mrs. Lee turned her face toward her husband. There was a light in her eye, but there was something in the expression of her countenance that a little puzzled him.

"Do you think so?" she asked quite soberly.

"What a question!" ejaculated Andrew, starting up and going round to the side of the table where she was sitting "What a question, Mary," he replied, as he stood before her.

"Yes, darling," was his warmly-spoken answer. "How strange that you should ask me such a question."

"If you would only tell me so now and then, Andrew, it would do me good."

Mrs. Lee arose, and leaning her face against the manly breast of her husband, stood and wept.

What a strong light broke in upon the mind of Andrew Lee; he had never given his wife even the smallest reward of praise in all the loving interest she had manifested daily, until doubt of his love had entered her soul and made the light all around her thick darkness. No wonder that her face grew clouded, nor what he considered moodishness and ill-nature took possession of her heart.

"You are good and true, Mary, my own dear wife, I am proud of you, I love you, and my first desire is for your happiness. Oh, if I always see your face in sunshine my home will be the dearest place on earth."

"How precious to me are your words of love and praise, Andrew," said Mrs. Lee, smiling through her tears into his face.

"With them in my ears my heart can never lie in shadow."

How easy had been the work for Andrew Lee. He had swept his hand across the cloudy horizon, and now the bright sunshine was streaming and flooding the home with joy and beauty.—*Popular Monthly.*

Fixed.

He is a dry goods clerk and she is a high school girl with a knowledge of astronomy. They were walking the other evening, and growing soft and soulful he remarked:

"Your eyes are just like stars."

"And they are fixed," she sweetly replied.

"Fixed!" he uttered dubiously; "what do you mean by fixed?"

"I mean," she said with a blush, "that they are fixed on that sign."

He looked up and saw "Ice Cream and Water Ices." He had fifty cents, but what could he do?

Cinc. *Saturday Night:* "Are you familiar with Bryant?" asked a young lady of a timid young man whom she was trying to draw out. "Oh, yes," he replied, proudly, brightening up; "I graduated at one of his business colleges."

Patent News.

List of patents issued to citizens of Pennsylvania, for the week ending April 11, 1884; total issues of that date; and patent notes, compiled expressly for this paper by Steele & Co., Patent Lawyers and Solicitors, Washington, D. C.

Machine for making Hoes, R. E. Breed, Pittsburg.

Handle Attaching Device for Tools, J. R Hood, Philadelphia.

Corkscrew, A. J. Walter, Phil'a.

Safety Attachment, E. Harley, Phil'a.

Knitting Machine, W. Osborn, Philadelphia.

Blotter, A. N. Sill, Philadelphia.

Car Wheel and Axle, L. J. Stevenson, Philadelphia.

Manufacture of Drills, C. Van Haagen, Phil'a.

Car Wheel Hub, J. V. Hawkey Irwin's Station.

Combined Feed Pump and Condensing Apparatus for Engines, J. Houpt, Springtown

Miner's Squib, G. A. Ingram, Plymouth.

Car Wheel and Axle, M. Jordon, Scranton.

Butter Pail, J. Messerole, Springville.

Curtain Fixture, J. L. Parkinson, Pittsburg.

Boring Machine, L. C. Phillips, Allegheny City.

Stay for Corsets, Henry Reiley, Rixford.

Knife for Wood Working Machine, L. J. Skinner, Milton.

Hot Blast Stove, J. J. Airey, Pittsburg.

Slide Rest, J. Fitz, Hanover.

Lubricating Oil, J. E. Gill, Franklin.

Felt Roofing, L. Haas, Chester.

Automatic Felt Guide for Paper Machines, B. A. Schubiger, Montoursville.

Apparatus for Decorating China and Glass Ware, H. Shulze Berge, Pittsburg.

Fertilizer Distributor, J. W. Spangler, York.

Car Brake, J. P. Centner, Pittsburg.

Straightening, Bending and Punching Machine J. Crossgrove, Pittsburg.

Door Latch, J. Romig, Mifflinburg,

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On Monday last in the United States Senate, a most remarkably instructive and convincing speech was made by the Hon. Orville H. Platt, chairman of Senate Committee on Patents, in favor of Senate Bill 1924. "To provide for the organization of the Patent office into an independent Department, and for giving it the exclusive control of the building knows as the Patent Office and of the fund pertaining to that office. "In the necessitous limitation of space in your columns, nothing but the briefest summary of this exceedingly able, elaborate and eloquent address, or rather history of the origin, progress, and present condition of the patent system of this country can be given.

We can quote but a few of the vivid sentences from the prologue of this speech, before passing to the reasons given for the enactment of said Bill. "We have had fifty years of progress, fifty years of invention applied to the every-day wants of life, fifty years of patent encouragement, and fifty years of a development of wealth, resources, grandeur, culture, power, little short of the miraculous. Population, production, business, wealth, comfort, culture, and power, these have all kept step with the expansion of the inventive genius of this country; and this progress has been made possible only by the inventions of its citizens. No pure agricultural or pastoral people ever achieved any high standing among the nations of the earth. It is only when the brain evolves and the cunning hand fashions labor-saving machines, that a nation begins to throb with new energy and life and expands with a new growth. Every comfort which we have, every convenience which we enjoy, every element of wealth which we acquire, has its root and development in the patent system of this country. They are born of patents and they live only by the permission of patents. If "knowledge is power," invention is prosperity." He then went on to prove these statements by the most directly convincing statistical evidence, gleaned from all parts of the world in comparison with our country and nation. In this he conclusively illustrated, that the wonderful growth of the patent system was intimately joined with the corresponding growth and development of business, products, property and wealth of this country. He concludes this portion of his subject with a grand peroration in these words: "We are nearing the end of the contest to which our forefathers invited us when they gave to our Government the power to promote the progress of science and the useful arts. That contest is for the supremacy of the world, and the prize is now in full view; we stand to-day in the gateway of a marvelous future. Let us hope that eyes may be given us to see that the inscription over the gate reads 'Protection to the American patent system and all it comprehends.' But I must leave this branch of my subject. It is as fascinating as an oriental romance, but there are some practical considerations which I must present in favor of the passage of this bill." These he states to be briefly as follows:

"That the Patent Office must be made an independent Department," and for the following reasons:"

"That the Interior Department is greatly overburdened.

"That the duties to be performed by the Secretary of the Interior in its other bureaus have led, and probably always will lead, to the selection of a man who has no special adaptation for the important work of the Patent Office.

"There should be but one independent head. The office is now double-headed.

"The office *has been neglected*, and it ever will be as long as it remains simply a fifth wheel of the Interior Department. It must have *more force and more room*: The office being sadly behind in its work.

He then concludes with the following, under this grievous subject: "Would any one think that this 'pauper whom nobody knows' is the only self sustaining branch of this government, the only bureau that pays its way?

"It has paid all its expenses and has also paid into the Treasury a surplus fund of nearly three millions of dollars of inventors' fees, not including as I believe the amount that Congress took from its fund to help pay for the building into the basement and coal cellars of which it (the Patent Office) has been largely crowded. This surplus fund exists no longer in practice, for its receipts have to be daily turned into the Treasury to be used for the benefit of other departments of the Government, in which inventors have no immediate interest.

Rapid Breathing an Anæsthetic.

Popular Science Monthly.

Olaf Rygh, the Norweign Herodotus, tells us that when the old Baresacks felt the approach of their end they robbed death of its sting by drifting out to sea in a scuttled or in a burning boat, and thus expired, "screaming the wild battle songs of their tribe." The Roman gladiators shouted and laughed aloud while their wounds were being dressed. A scalded child sobs and gasps for a therapeutical purpose; instinct teaches in the readiest way to benumb the feeling of pain. The physiological rationale of all this is that rapid breathing is an anesthetic. In a paper read before the Philadelphia Medical society, May 12, 1880, Dr. W. A. Bonwell ascribes that effect to the influence of the surplus oxygen which is thus forced upon the lungs, just as by the inhalation of the nitrous oxide gas (which is composed of the same element as common air, but with a larger proportion of oxygen), and mentions a large variety of cases in his own practice where rapid breathing produced all the essential effects of a chemical pain obtunder, without appreciably diminishing the consciousness of the patient. Persons who object to the use of chloroform (perhaps from an instinctive dread that in their case ether slumber might prove a sleep that knows no waking) can benumb their nerves during the progress of a surgical operation by gasping as rapidly as possible. "The most remarkable proof of its efficacay," says Dr. Bonwell, "was the case of a boy of eleven years of age, for whom I had to extract the upper and lower first permanent molars on both sides. He breathed rapidly for nearly a minute, when I removed in about twenty seconds all four of the teeth. He declared there was no pain, and we needed no such assertion, for there was not the slightest indication that he was undergoing a severe operation.

About Literature.

[Lime Kiln Club.]

The Hon. Slipback Taylor, an honorary member residing in Birmingham, Ala., forwarded the following inquiry:

"What style of literature does our club recommend fur de culled populashun of de kentry?"

"On seberal different occasions when my advice has bin axed," replied the president, "I has recommended de Fam'ly Bible an' a fust-class weekly newspaper. I don't know dat our people need any speshul line of literature. If white ladies can swaller trash novels at de rate of two a week an' obersee deir houses an' fam'lies, I reckon de black ones are not so very bad off. Half of our white male populashun are constant readers of police an' sportin' papers an' sensational books, an' dey seem to be gittin' 'long well 'nuff. I reckon dat if our race takes in a fair sheer of Mrs. Holmes' love stories an' George Munro's pirated novels, we kin keep our sand up an come out fat ebery spring."

Why the Pepper Box Resembled Him.

Boston Post.

It was only yesterday that an inveterate stammerer dined at Parker's. On attempting to help himself to pepper he found after a violent shaking that there was none of the article to be obtained. Turning round and beckoning to the waiter he said: "Wa-wa-wa-waiter! this pep-pep-p-p-pepper box is som-som-thing like me." "Why so, sir?" asked the waiter. "It lo lo looks well, but has mi-mi-mighty po-po-po-poor delivery."

A man out at Washoe Lake, Nevada, went on the ice on the morning of the 22d of February, and found 128 wild geese, with their feet frozen fast in the ice. He left them there all day while he went away after a cart, and came back and bagged the entire lot. If it wasn't for the sacred day on which all this happened, we wouldn't believe a single word of it. As it was, we accept it all, every last goose, cart, Nevada man, Washoe lake, and all.

Texas *Siftings:* Timid lady going up the Washington monument elevator—"Conductor, what if the rope breaks that holds us?" Conductor—"Oh, there are a number more attached as safety ropes." Timid lady—"But if they all break, where shall we go?" Conductor—"Oh, well, m'm, that all depends on what kind of life you have been living before."

The State College.

In a letter last week to the *Farmers' Friend*, Worthy Master Leonard Rhone makes use of the following somewhat severe language in regard to the meeting of the committee recently held in Bellefonte and the general management of the State College:

The object of creating the committee to restore the College to the agricultural class was thus defeated by three votes. We had a right to expect these votes; but the Adjutant General was ill and could not come. Mr. Hartman, of Columbia county, has never attended a meeting. Thomas J. Edge, Secretary of the Board of Agriculture, can no doubt explain to the farmers of Pennsylvania why he resigned when they most needed his services; and Simpson Africa, Secretary of Internal Affairs, we presume, was not concerned about the rights of the agricultural class. Farmers, by your misplaced confidence in five lawyers, three professors and one truckster, you have lost your rights to an agricultural college in Pennsylvania, and dishonored our great State.

There are at present sixteen professors employed, a much larger force than required, as but very few of them work full time. During the last term Professor Jordon, who receives $1,500, did not teach an hour, as acknowledged by himself before the Board. Prof. Buckhout taught but three hours per week; Professor Ewing eight hours; Professor Osmond five hours; Prof. Bernard four hours. Yet in the face of all this mismanagement they resent with contempt the efforts of the Governor and petitions of farmers for retrenchment in its management.

They are heaping insult and shame on the State of Pennsylvania by the neglect of her farms, and bringing contempt on the effort of the State to establish an agricultural school. Had the wise provisions of the report of the Government and Superintendent of Public Instruction been adopted it would have saved the institution $14,500; and after the proper provision for the maintainance of the Eastern and Western farms for experimental stations, as provided by the law, with a lecturer on scientific agriculture and superintendent of farms, there would still have been left $8,500 for the payment of debts and incidental expenditures.

But it is an old adage "that whom the gods would destroy they first make mad." As it is, the notes of the College are hawked over the country, ranging from $200 to $15,000 each, with the contempt of the people of the State for the institution.

It now becomes necessary for the Governor to issue a mandamus staying the State Treasurer from paying the annual appropriation of $30,000. It was hoped that the rights of the agricultural class would be conceded and the managment of the College would be revised so as to restore confidence and harmony. The Governor, Dr. Higbee, Mr. McCormick and Col. Piollet used every reasonable endeavor to bring about harmony and good will, but to no effect. This no one regrets more than I do. It has put the cause of agricultural schools back a decade in Pennsylvania.

The total receipts of this institution from all sources is nearly $60,000, which is $4,000 less than the expenditures, a sum sufficiently large to provide for all the requirements contemplated in the acts of the State and National Legislatures providing for an Agricultural and Mechanical College.

Had the plan proposed by the report of the majority been adopted the Board could at once have made provisions for the maintenance of Experimental Stations without any additional appropriations from the State. Certainly with $6,000 and a superintendent of farms in addition, all the experimental work could have been done which is required to serve the present demands of agriculture in the State. Go where you will, into any portion of the State, and you find it is the universal sentiment that this institution was intended for the agricultural class, and that it should be conducted to suit their requirements.

The Palace Car Minerva.

When the late Harry A. Packer, president of the Lehigh Valley railroad, was in Paris, says the Reading *Times*, he wrote to Mr. J. I. Kinsey, the superintendent of motive power, at South Easton, saying that he wanted a private car built, but was too sick to write about it, and would leave the arrangement of the plans to him. The beautiful, palatial "Minerva" was the result of the wish expressed by the late Mr. Packer. He saw the plans at Lake George, as Superintendent Kinsey unfolded them to his eye, after failing to meet him at Saratoga, but he never saw the car. Almost on the day that the elegant palace on wheels rolled from the South Easton shops, a finished and perfectly appointed hunting car, Mr. Packer breathed his last at his mountain side home in the Switzerland of America—Mauch Chunk. The car "Minerva" was occupied while in Reading by the family and a few friends of Superintendent Kinsey, and was greatly admired as it stood there in all its magnificence under the shedding. It was built at an expenditure of $40,000, and was brought to Reading to replenish the three gas tanks under the car. The "Minerva" is regarded as the most palatial parlor car in America, not being rivaled by even the famous "Davy Crocket" of the Pennsylvania road.

The "Minerva" has accommodations for fifteen persons; the dining-room is the same as can be found in modern mansions worth from $150,000 and upwards, and the furnishings throughout are of the richest description. There is no end to closets; one meets them at every turn. In a cozy apartment is a superb writing desk, which in a twinkling can be converted into a luxurious couch. Electric bells turn on and put out the gas. The dining room ceiling is composed of embossed leather, something as unique as it is beautiful. The interior of the car is made of bird-eye maple and mahogany woods. The windows are double with fine damask curtains. The refectory is a model of design and completeness. Attached to the floor of the car are ice coolers for fruits and vegetables and a large tank to hold water. There is nothing lacking in anything that goes to make life happy, enjoyable and comfortable.

Democratic Love Feast.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., April 9.—The Democratic convention was called to order by Chairman Hensel and R. Milton Speer was made temporary chairman by acclamation.

The same gentleman was made permanent chairman when the convention reassembled in the afternoon. Below we give the two most important declarations of the platform:

They favor a tariff for revenue limited to the necessities of the government economically administered and so adjusted in its application as to prevent unequal burdens, encourage productive industries at home, afford just compensation to labor, but not to create or to foster monopolies, and to this end they favor the abolition of the internal revenue system of taxes, and such reduction of the existing tariff duties as will be consistent with these principles.

Resolved, That the Hon. Samuel J. Randall is the choice of the democracy of Pennsylvania as the candidate of the party for president. By a long term of faithful public service he has illustrated unfaltering devotion to high political principle and unchallenged fealty to the democratic faith, and his present eminence and usefulness in the legislative councils of the country mark him as worthy to fill its highest office.

Nominations being in order William M. Pratt, W. W. H. Davis and Mortimer F. Elliott were nominated for congressmen-at-large. By unanimous consent the roll call was dispensed with and General Davis was nominated by acclamation.

Hon. Richard Vaux, Philadelphia; B. J. McGrann, Lancaster; John H. Fow, Philadelphia; H. B. Plumer, Venango; Henry S. Frank, Philadelphia; William H. Dutton, Philadelphia, J. C. Mitchell, Butler; Jno. Hackenstein, Allegheny; and John P. Linton, of Cambria, were nominated for electors at-large. When the roll call was about three-fourths completed it became apparent that Vaux, McGrann and Plumer had a majority of all the votes in the convention and they were then nominated by acclamation, the roll being suspended by unanimous consent.

Nominations for delegates-at-large were made as follows: Eckley B. Cox, Luzerne; Charles E. Boyle, Fayette; William H. Sowden, Lehigh, Thomas Collins, Somerset; James McGuffie, Crawford; William A. Wallace, Clearfield; William F. Harrity, Philadelphia; M. F. Elliott, Tioga; B. F. Myers, Dauphin; James P. Barr, Allegheny; S. E. Ancona Berks, and B. Bryce McCool, Schuylkill. Six were to be elected. The result of the first ballot was Coxe 246, Boyle 144, Sowden 209, Collins 191, McGuffie 65, Wallace 290, Barr 281, Harrity 302, Elliott 104, Ancona 53, McCool 15, Meyers 223. Messrs. Harrity, Wallace, Barr, Coxe, Meyers, and Sowden were declared the delegation at large to the national convention.

Resigns His Commission.

CINCINNATI, April 7.—Sheriff Hawkins having been asked, by a vote of one of the companies of the Veteran Regiment, why he called them to duty at the jail on the Saturday night of the mob (they refusing to go), publishes to-day a long letter saying that it would be more appropriate for him to call on the regiment to explain why they refused to obey the lawful command of their colonel. He charges the conduct of the men to the bad advice of one of the captains, who reported to the police for patrol duty instead of to the jail as ordered, and closes by tendering his unconditional resignation as colonel of the regiment.

Passed the Senate.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The senate this afternoon passed the educational bill by a vote of 33 to 11. The bill, as it passed, appropriated $77,000,000 to be distributed among the states in proportion to their illiteracy, on the basis of the census of 1880. The payments of money to extend over a series of eight years, the amount to be distributed the first year is $7,000,000; the second, $10,000,000; the third, $15,000,000; the sums then diminishing at the rate of $2,000,000 annually until the eighth year, when all appropriations shall cease.

A Family Killed in a Falling House

MINERAL PARK, Arizona, April 9.—Joseph Stein and his wife and daughter lived in an adobe house here. The house, being affected by continued hard rains, crumbled during last night and fell, killing all three. A 3-year-old daughter, Mabel, was uninjured though found in the ruins beside her mother.

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Ex-Sheriff Lingle, of this place, is canvassing among his friends for what is represented by him to be a most beautiful and valuable book entitled "Room at the Top." Of course, he circulated freely among his friends of the Court House ring who have implicit faith in the doctrine which the title of this great work suggests, and are eager to pick up all the stray fragments of information which will enable them to more easily reach the top of the ladder in the scramble for county offices. Being aware of Commissioner Griest's extravagant fondness for standard literature, evinced by his admiration for a recent expensive "History of Centre County," Sheriff Lingle had but little difficulty in persuading him to invest in this new and popular work.

The Sheriff delivered the book on Wednesday. To protect the elegant binding from injury, the book was firmly encased in a neat paper cover, with the title on the outside. The literary Commissioner laid the book in a convenient place and stepped outside to attend to some business before departing on the 5 o'clock p. m. train for his happy home in Unionville. While he was thus engaged certain friends spied the book and pounced upon it, we fear with evil intent. They found a copy of that Book of Books—the Bible—in the county Treasurer's office and noticing that the two books were an exact match in shape and size, they hastened with them to the bookstore of a certain eminent Lutheran, a half deceptive, half ecstatic smile meanwhile illuminating their countenances

There those twin deceivers, skill and mischief, did their evil work. The covering was quickly removed from the Commissioner's book and transferred to the Bible with a dexterity calculated to deceive the very elect, and it was soon occupying the place in the Commissioner's office vacated by "Room at the Top," with that deceptive label outside.

Our 214-lb. avoirdupois Commissioner was soon on his way to Unionville accompanied by his friend, Mr. Frank McCoy, and his beloved book which he concluded not to remove from its covering until he was safe in the bosom of his happy family.

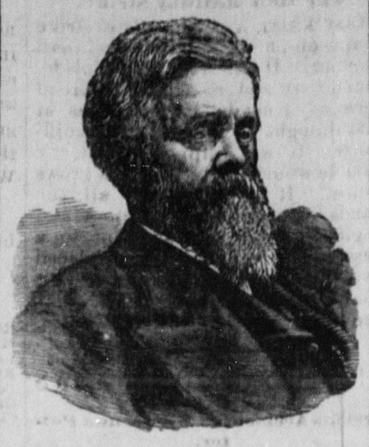
Let us pass over the few miles of travel o that place. We cannot spare space to depict all the happy anticipations in which he indulged, but will approach the denouement at once. Behold him surrounded by a dozen expectant faces as he carefully removes the cover; paint if you can the mysterious expression on his own countenance and the smile of derision on the countenances of those around him when the worn and homely binding of the precious Bible is exposed to view. He remembers to have seen such a book once before, and when a member of his family tells him it is a Bible memories of childhood flood upon his recollection. But these pleasant reminiscences are rudely dispelled by the increasing conviction that he has been imposed upon. His high respect for the precious "Book" restrained his exclamation of surprise and perhaps when he visits Bellefonte again he will return the Bible and claim "Room at the Top."

We regret to state that, in consequence of the disappearance of the Bible, the Commissioners could not conduct the usual religious services next morning and the balance of the Board have commanded Commissioner Griest to return the Book he so unceremoniously carried off.

—Mr. S. A. Valentine, of this place, has twenty-five finely located lots on the northern extension of Spring and Penn streets which he will offer to purchasers at exceedingly easy terms. Most of these lots are outside the borough limits, are on elevated ground, the surface is mildly undulating and are superb locations for purchasers who must exert economy in the price of the lot as well as in the erection of a dwelling. Every man should own a home of his own and by purchasing one of these lots relief from borough taxes will be experienced for at least ten years. This is an unusual opportunity. Take advantage of it.

—Mr. J. H. Sands, the Allegheny street baker, has recently added a telephone to his very complete establishment and is prepared to supply bread, cakes, pies and confectionery to his customers by means of that instrument. He don't intend to send these articles over the wire—that would be altogether too thin; but just whisper your orders to him in the phone and you will be rewarded by receiving some of the finest specimens of the baker's art that your eyes ever rested on.

—Mr. John Wagner, banker, is erecting a new residence on the northern extension of Spring street.



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Miscellaneous.

Doctors and Doctrines.

Whatever Cruel Creeds May Say, Truth is Always Orthodox.

"You know the old saying, Doctor, *Ubi tres medici, duo athei*,—where there are three doctors there are two atheists," laughed Rev. Apollo Cream cheese, the other day, to his friend, Dr. Senna, who had dropped in for a bit of a talk.

"Yes, I've heard it, and I'll bet a box of pills against your dry inkstand that some priest said it. They always spattered bad Latin when they had a bigger lie than common to get rid of," answered the Doctor, lighting his pipe. "I'll tell you, Dominie, you're way off when you think our profession isn't doing as good work in this world as yours is. They've both been more'n half barbarous for centuries, but we're several lengths ahead of you on the home-stretch."

"But, Doctor," said Rev. Mr. Creamcheese, "don't you think your fraternity shows a tendency to materialistic——"

"Bah!" interrupted Dr Senna, "we show a tendency to human charity and common sense. The fences are all down. Why, within the past week I've had a letter from my old friend, Dr. W. V. Haddox, of Pine Hill, Alabama, saying that he is using with great success, PARKER'S TONIC in his practice, and finds it the best thing for Coughs, Lung, Kidney and Liver troubles Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, and so on, he ever struck; and another friend of mine, Dr. J. J. Oatman, of Corrolltown, Pa., says substantially the same thing. He's a big specialist, too, in chronic diseases, and knows what he is talking about every time."

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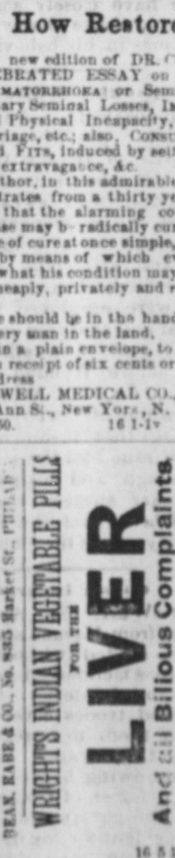

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

The Cuban Insurrection.

MADRID, April 13.--Official advices have been received from Cuba by the war department to the following effect:

The Aguero band remained only one day near Cardenas, and all is now quiet at that place. After landing near Hicucos the insurgents were followed to the east, in the direction of Morena, where they were joined by several persons. Hence they went toward Macagua, to the south, in order to reach Fuerto Principe and the old revolutionary district of Bayamo. Aguero did not dare to attempt a direct landing there, because he knew that the southeast coast of Cuba was watched with especial vigilance. His band was greatly increased during the march of eight days, and is now not far from fourteen hundred strong. According to the latest advices the force arrived on the 10th inst. in the neighborhood of Ciego de Anila.

They passed on the preceding day through the district of Santo Espiritu. The insurgents were received by acclamation in the villages, where the patroctnados (freed slaves) themselves had joined the column, after having set fire to four plantations and sacked the safes of the receivers of taxes. The receiver of Trinidad, who was making his rounds from the direction of Santo Espiritu, accompanied by the ordinary escort of twenty cazadores, fell into the hands of the insurgents, who overpowered his guard and took from him several thousand dollars which he was conveying to Trinidad. Aguero and his army will reach early in the week the mountains of Las Tunas and of Bayamo—the old seat of the late insurrection. Captain General Castillo holds two councils of war a day.

Tilden's Letter of Declination.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The *Evening Star* last night printed the following special dispatch from New York: Mr. Tilden has absolutely declined to permit his name to go before the national convention at Chicago as a candidate for president. He has quite completed a letter which will be addressed to the chairman of the New York Democratic State convention or possibly to the chairman of the New York delegation to Chicago, in which he announces that he is not a candidate. It sets forth his reasons more emphatically than his letter to the New York delegation to Cincinnati in June, 1880, and includes some references personal to himself. He believes that the Democratic nominee should be one who could enter upon the work of reformation, as the head of the government, with untiring vigor.

Texas Republicans.

AUSTIN, April 13--The republicans met in convention here yesterday and on motion of John M. Snyder unanimously indorsed the administration of President Arthur. The convention was largely attended by both white and colored representatives, and enough is now known to make it absolutely certain that the whole Texas delegation to Chicago will vote solidly for Arthur.

Pocahontas Coal Mine Opened.

LYNCHBURG, Va., April 10.—The entrances to the Pocahontas coal mine were opened yesterday by experienced miners. The fan was ready for operation to-day, and the bodies of the victims will be recovered. Several bodies were seen yesterday upon opening the entrances. An order was sent to Lynchburg for thirty-six coffins.

One Sheriff Arrests Another.

BRAINERD, Minn., April 11.—Sheriff Merz and a posse last night captured here, on an express train from St. Paul, Sheriff Smith and two deputies of Miles City Montana, who had in charge a desperado, Steve Taylor, whom they were bringing from New Mexico. They violated a writ of habeas corpus in St. Paul. On receipt of a telegram from Sheriff O'Gorman of that place, the sheriff organized a posse large enough to prevent the escape from the train, and boarded it with a dozen deputies at the lower yard junction. He placed a man at every coach door and starting through the train, accompanied by two deputies, found the four men wanted. Upon his accosting them, each drew a pair of self-cocking revolvers. They threatened the Brainerd sheriff, swearing how many they would kill at the first movement towards them. Words had no effect, the sheriff demanded the surrender of weapons. This being refused, he slipped up and took them away from the Montana men one after another, and handed them to his deputies. The disarmed sheriffs were then taken off the cars, and lodged in jail with their prisoner. Toward midnight the officers were released on bail.

Wednesday's Snow Storm.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The snow storm yesterday extended west into Indiana and south into Virginia. In the coal regions in Pennsylvania it was the heaviest of the season. At Mt. Carmel seven inches fell in as many hours, and many of the collieries suspended at noon. At Glen Summit it was fourteen inches and at Hazelton nineteen inches deep. Last evening snow was still falling in the coal regions at the rate of three inches an hour. The storm south made a bad break in the Washington lines of the Western Union telegraph company. At one place, fifty miles north of Baltimore, twenty consecutive poles were blown down. The interruption continued about half the day. The one wire was recovered and by midnight five were working. Business to Washington, Baltimore and other cities was sent by way of Chicago and down through the south in the afternoon and evening. There were some wires down on the Pittsburg route also. Other telegraph companies were also much interfered with by the storm.

A Chicago Crank in Canada.

OTTAWA, April 10.—The reason why additional guards have been placed in the parliament buildings has at length transpired. A few weeks since a man in Chicago, styling himself Dr. Cross, wrote to Sir John McDonald, informing him that he knew of a plot being matured in the United States to blow up the parliament building with dynamite. Sir John McDonald gave him permission to go ahead with his detective business and refused to give him any remuneration until events proved the truth of his story, and accomplished what he promised. Dr. Cross, since his arrival, has been stopping at the principal hotel, and seems well provided with money. The Dominion police have closely shadowed him, but, so far, have discovered nothing suspicious in his behavior.

Forepaugh's White Elephant.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.—The *Press* will publish to-morrow the affidavits of George Gillespie and Robert Hughes, animal keepers of Liverpool, who swear that the alleged white elephant of Adam Forepaugh is a common Indian elephant, artificially colored with Paris white. The men allege that they were employed to color the animal and that they gave him several coats. The affidavits were made before Wendell P. Bowman, counsel for the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, who says that to-morrow warrants will be issued for the arrest of Adam Forepaugh and his partners, as a veterinary surgeon has also made an affidavit that the coloring will probably cause the elephant's death.

Cuban Insurgents.

KEY WEST, Fla., April 10.—Mail advices from Havana state that Gen. Augura landed without resistance. Numerous factions joined him on his march to the interior. His forces encountered troops several times, but obliged them to retreat. Great excitement prevails, especially in Havana, owing to the concentration of large forces of troops. It is supposed the government used the Augura incident for the display of force to intimidate the Cubans during the next election. The government has telegraphed Spain for more troops. The censorship over dispatches has been re-established.

A Plea for Cuba.

LONDON, April 10.—The *Times'* dispatches from Madrid speak as follows: Signs of the approach of a serious economical crisis in Cuba are daily increased. The continuous fall in sugar is bringing ruin and disaster. Unless radical measures for relief are speedily adopted the long-suffering Cubans will be driven to a course disastrous for all. If Cuba is to be saved, the cost of living must be reduced, the system of administration and taxation improved, and freer markets obtained for her products.

Everybody for Blaine.

PHILADELPHIA, April 11.—A despatch to the Philadelphia *Press* from Greenville says the twenty-sixth district convention selected delegates with instructions to support Blaine.

Death of Charles Reade, the Novelist

LONDON, April 11.—Charles Reade died this afternoon.

[Charles Reade was born at Ipsden, Oxfordshire, England, in 1814. He graduated in 1835 at Magdalen college, Oxford. In 1843 he was called to the bar by the Society of Lincoln's Inn, but soon after gave his attention wholly to literature. In 1852 he published his first story, "Peg Woffington," which immediately gave him rank as writer of fiction. "Christie Johnstone" met with still greater favor. In 1854 he published a volume of plays. In 1856 he gave to the world "It is Never too Late to Mend," in which he aimed to show the possibility of the reformation of a criminal. This, which was the first of a series of romances, each written to illustrate some social or public wrong, aroused attention to the brutalities of the English prison system, and was instrumental in effecting their amelioration. The best of his later works are: "The Cloister and the Hearth," "Hard Cash," "Griffith Gaunt," "Foul Play," and "Put Yourself in His Place." Many of Mr. Reade's works have been successfully dramatized.]

Postal Revenue Estimates.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The Third Assistant Postmaster General has prepared the following statement of the revenues of the Post Offices Department for the present fiscal year. The returns for the first and second quarters are complete; the figures for the third quarter are based upon returns from offices returning about one-half of the total postal revenue, and the estimate for the last quarter is based upon the returns of the preceding quarters: Gross postal receipts for quarter ending September 30, 1883, $10,505 867; do December 31, 1883, $11,159,616; gross postal revenue for quarter ending March 31, 1883, estimated from special returns received from 137 letter carrier offices, including all the large cities, $10,769,614; estimated gross revenue to arise during quarter ending June 30, 1883, $10,737,349; total estimated revenue for the year, $43,263,446; total revenue for year ending June 30, 1883, $45,508,692; falling off in the revenue for present year, $2,246,246.

The Greely Relief Vessels.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Chief Constructor Wilson returned Friday night from New York, where he inspected the Arctic vessels Bear and Thetis. He says that the Bear is ready for sea, with the exception of her supply of coal. The Thetis is still in dock, but it is being fitted rapidly and nothing will interfere with her being ready to sail by the first of May. The Arctic steamer Alert is expected to arrive from England by the latter part of next week or the first of the week following. Her officers will be: Commander, George W. Coffin; lieutenant, J. C. Badger, and ensigns, Rediley, Hunt, W. I. Chambers and C. S. McLain. Their orders will be issued in a few days.

Princess Victoria's Marriage.

LONDON, April 13.—The marriage of the Princess Victoria of Hesse with Prince Louis of Battenberg is fixed for April 30. The queen will attend, but she has given orders that there shall be an entire absence of festivity. After a short honeymoon the happy couple will come to England to reside. They will occupy Sennicott's house, near Chichester. The queen gives the princess a large private dowry to assist her in housekeeping

Will Help their Brethren.

WILKESBARRE, April 10.—A public meeting of the citizens whose sympathy is with the National League of America, was held here this evening and a branch league called the William Orr league was organized and officers elected. Much enthusiam prevailed. It was resolved that a league would do all in its power to aid the Irish national party in Ireland.

A Judge's Precaution.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Before preceeding in the Sharon divorce case to-day, all persons admitted to the court-room, including the counsel, were, by order of the Judge, examined to see whether they carried dangerous weapons. No weapon was found. The time was consumed in arguments, and the case was adjourned until Monday.

Test Vote on the Morrison Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—For the purpose of obtaining a square test vote on the Morrison tariff bill, Mr. Kelley will demand the yeas and nays on a motion to go into committee of the whole for its consideration, if such a motion is made by Mr. Morrison on Tuesday next.

Heavy Snow Storm.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., April 9.—A heavy snow and sleet storm has prevailed here since noon. At Green Summit the snow is fourteen inches deep and at Hazelton nineteen inches. It is still snowing to-night.

No Special Instructions.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—None of the delegates to the republican national convention have been specially instructed, and their personal presidential preferences have not been announced.

A Pastor Installed.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., April 10.—Rev. John J. Pomeroy was installed as pastor of the Central Presbyterian church of Chambersburg today.

The Ohio Railway Strike.

CINCINNATI, April 10.—The strike of the employes of the Cincinnati Northern Division of the Toledo, Cincinnati and St. Louis Railroad because of not being paid, was at first thought to be of little significance. It was supposed that the trouble would soon end, but it grows worse. It now includes all the hands except the conductors and engineers. A slight accident to a passenger train by a misplaced switch in the passenger yard is charged to the strikers, but they deny it.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

Serious Accident to Mr. Joshua Potter.

On Friday Mr. Joshua Potter, who lives about two miles from Centre Hall, was painfully and perhaps seriously injured by being struck by stones from a blast. He, in company with another man, was engaged in boring through the rock for a cistern and had penetrated to the depth of six or eight feet. They had filled a hole with powder and lighted the fuse and as usual endeavored to escape up the ladder to the ground above. Mr. Potter reached a place of safety, but as his assistant was mounting the ladder it broke and he was confined in what seemed to be a veritable prison of death. Mr. Potter ran to his assistance and reached down his hands to help the man up. The startling "fizz" of the coming explosion warned them of the danger of delay and the man told Mr. Potter to escape for his life. But he would not leave his companion in such danger and the explosion occurred. Fortunately, it was not so powerful as they had expected and the man in the cistern was uninjured, standing as he did with his back to the explosion. A large stone struck Mr. Potter in the face, cutting his cheek fearfully, laying it open to the bone. Another stone struck one of his hands and it is thought broke the bones. He was suffering intensely Friday night. Dr. Alexander is exhausting the resources of surgical skill in Mr. Potter's behalf and we hope that future reports will be more favorable.

Business Notices and Other Items.

—Our legislators should make it a crime to work on a legal holiday.

—Don't forget the immense stock of embroideries and laces at the Bee Hive. a10 1w

—Jacob Dutweiler and family of Millheim moved on Tuesday, April 8, to Jewell City, Kansas.

—Ginghams, seersuckers and chambrays. New stock and cheaper than ever at the Bee Hive. a10 1w

—A letter in the post office addressed "Mr. Robert, Bellefonte, Centre Co., Penn'a," awaits an owner.

—New styles hats and gents furnishing goods at the Bee Hive a10 1w

—Deep snow is reported at Lancaster and other places in this State. The telegraph wires work badly in consequence.

After the holidays is called the "dull season" by tailors. We are offering extra inducements in low prices. Our orders for woolens have been very large. The new goods are now coming in. Leave your order now.
tf MONTGOMERY & Co. Tailors.

—Mr. Bauer, the Bishop street grocer, and his son, had each a gorgeously colored goose egg presented to him on Saturday.

—Largest line of white goods ever brought to Bellefonte now on exhibition at the Bee Hive. a10 1w

A neighboring paper reporting a recent social says: "The opening piece was rendered by a mule quartet." The reporter wrote it, "male quartet," but the compositor knew better.

—Carpets, oil cloths and mattings, immense stock at low prices, at the Bee Hive. a10 1w

—Mr. John Bartruff expects to complete his new double frame dwelling on Water street before the end of next month.

—Irish point and Oriental laces, just received, at the Bee Hive. a10 1w

—Dr. Dobbins and W. C. Heinle, Esq., settled the tariff question last Saturday evening.

—On and after this date the price of Bellefonte Cement is $1.75 per barrel and every barrel warranted.
a12d2tw1 H. K. HICKS.

—New spring styles of dress goods and silks, just received, at the Bee Hive. a10 1w

It was Mazinni who said: "slumber not in the tents of your columns.' But it is impossible to avoid slumbering in the contents of some columns.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.—One of our prominent business men said to us the other day: "In the spring my wife got all run down and could not eat anything; passing your store I saw a pile of Hood's Sarsaparilla in the window, and got a bottle. After she had taken it a week she had a rousing appetite, and did her everything. She took three bottles, and it was the best three dollars I ever invested." C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

—Spring blossoms promise to be numerous in a few days. Daffodils in a score of yards are just ready to exhibt their yellow petals and violets are peeping out from beneath the grass. At this time last year vegetation was not so far advanced. Welcome, Spring.

—A new awning in front of Brachbill's furniture store is quite tasteful.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, April 15, 1884.

Red Wheat, per bushel	$ 95
Mixed Wheat	90
Buckwheat	50
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Lines from Loveville.

Under date of Wednesday, April 9, a correspondent writes from Loveville the following summary of events in that vicinity:

Again it is my painful duty to chronicle a very sad occurrence—the death of the infant child of Pierce and Annie Gray. The little one died on Saturday, the 5th instant. This event was rendered still more distressing by the illness of both father and mother, they being unable to accompany the remains of their darling babe to its last resting place.

The "Centre Line Literary Association" held its last meeting for this season on Friday evening, the 4th instant, at which time it adjourned to be called into active operation again at the time the President and other official members shall consider suitable.

While making ties for Mrs. Elizabeth Ebbs, Mr. John Houtz was so unfortunate as to cut one of his limbs with the broad-axe. I trust the injured member will soon heal, for John is a clever, genial man and all would be sorry should his injury prove serious.

I believe that I can this week produce the "big fox story" of the season by relating an event which transpired on the 3 inst. Mr. D—, a member of the sporting fraternity of Loveville, on the morning of that day went to search for the den of a certain Reynard that has for some time been making itself extremely objectionable to the farmers by numerous raids on their fowls. After a few minutes' tramp he succeeded in his purpose so far as the discovery of the den was concerned, and had the pleasure of seeing Master Fox skip away. His excitement became intense, and after "plugging" the hole and leaving his gun on watch he returned for tools and help to unearth the fox's den. Mr. O— and Mr. C— shared in Mr. D—'s excitement and in a remarkably short time the three were standing beside the discovered den. Mr. O— permitted his eyes to wander upward toward the tree tops where he saw what he at first supposed to be a knot but which, on a closer inspection, proved to be a "coon." With the quickness and skill of old hunters they dispatched it. Then they turned their attention to digging and in less time than it takes to pen it their labor was rewarded by bringing to light seven young foxes. The cries of the young animals brought the old fox in sight but it quickly disappeared again. Once more Mr. O—'s orbs wandered to the tree tops (to see the fox, I presume), but instead his eyes caught sight of a large "henhawk" that was calmly viewing the party below. Mr. O— proposed shooting it, but Mr. C— strenuously objected on the plea that it was only a wood cock, and while the trio were discussing the bird, it spread its wings and soared away. Again the hunters unsuccessfully attempted to shoot the old fox and soon after departed from the field, bearing with them the seven young foxes and the "old coon" as trophies of the day's sport. To complete the story, permit me to suggest that the foxes were blind, the coon was asleep, and the hawk, being awake, spread it wings and

—flew away
O'er mountains high and valleys deep,
Never stopping to rest or sleep.

But for the present I am

WEB.

—On Friday, April 4, the ladies of the Lutheran church in this place sent a large box filled with useful articles to the Muhlenberg mission station in Monrovia, Liberia, the same mission in which Mr. Spencer Ogden took so much interest during his brief residence in Africa. This mission is in charge of Rev. D. A. Day and lady and they took care of Spencer during his illness in that country. The mission is highly succesful, the school numbering 92 pupils. Rev. Day and lady have great success in managing it and are beloved by the natives who would be willing to sacrifice their lives for them at any time. He informed the ladies of the Bellefonte Lutheran church of the character of gifts that would be most useful and among the contents of the box were the following: Ninety-six books, including Testaments and Bibles; one hundred and twenty-five Sunday-school *Heralds;* fifty tracts; fifty cards; eighty-four garments, made by the ladies in Bellefonte; forty-seven articles of dry goods; quantities of soap (an important civilizing agent), thimbles, needles, etc.

—The "small boys" who the *Watchman* says eclipsed the Eclipse base ball club consisted of such "small" boys as Ellis Snyder, the very smallest of the "pick up" nine being George Meek.

—Gen. James A. Beaver conducted the exercises in Y. M. C. A. hall on Sunday afternoon.

Borough Financial Statement.

At the meeting of borough council on Monday evening, April 7, Mr. Isaac Mitchell, clerk, presented the following financial statement for the year beginning April, 1883, and ending April, 1884:

WATER COMMITTEE.

Engineer	$690.25	
Coal, wood & shavings	779.37	
Supplies and repairs	308.48	
Labor	16.13	$1753.23
Repairs to boilers	$348.71	
" " reservoir	51.00	
Board of Appeal	8.50	
Repairs to pipes	225.93	
Plumber	71.87	297.80
Bridge pipe	190,99	
McClain pipe	184.79	
Curtin St. "	714.29	
Water " "	160.80	$1250.87—$3710.11

STREET COMMITTEE.

Labor	$712 36	
Hauling	142.49	
Stone	91.09	
Supplies	52.00	
Lumber	265.41	
Engineer	163.92	
Alleghenyst. sewer	52.50	$1479.77
SpringCreek bridge	4421.75	
Gas and repairs	661.60	
Lamplighter	120 00	
Oil and repairs	116 33	
Lamplighter	229.00	$1126.93—$7028.45

FIRE AND POLICE COMMITTEE.

Regular police	$432.90	
Special "	10.05	
Lock-up	11.55	
Burgess	10.75	$464.80
Logan Hose Co	293.79	
Undine Hose Co	397.96	$691.75—$1156.55

MARKET COMMITTEE.

Market clerk	$14.75	
Broom and stationery	1.10	$15.85

NUISANCE COMMITTEE.

Burying animals	$10.50

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Clerk	$150.00	
Solicitor	50.00	
Attorney's fees	25.00	
Printing	14.90	
Repairs and supplies	3.67	
Justice of Peace	4.00	
Fourth of July	6.00	
Stationery	10.40	
Borough duplicate,	20.00	
Auditors	60.00	
Auditors statem't,	38.00	$381.97
		$12,303.43

EXPENSES.

Orders outstanding April 1, '83		$881,43
Orders drawn Apr., 1883, to Apr., '84		12,303.43
Interest paid by Treasurer	$8076.93	
State tax	464.42	8541.35
		$21,780.21

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, Apr., 1883	$780.24
Cash from Keichline, 1882	3,684.09
Cash from Jones, on dup. of 1883	11,074.44
Cash from commissioners	1,000.00
Cash from sundry sources	134.35
	$16,673.03
Deficit	$5067.18

—P. F. Keichline, the tobacconist, has began the sale of the celebrated "Nickel" brand of cigars in celebration of a momentous event that occurred on Thursday night, the advent into his household of a bouncing baby boy.

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SCHOOL DIRECTORS' CONVENTION.

To the School Directors of Centre County:

GENTLEMEN:—In pursuance of the forty-third section of the act of 8th May, 1854, you are hereby notified to meet in convention at the Court House, in Bellefonte, on the first Tuesday in May, A. D. 1884, being the 6th day of the month, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and elect, viva voce, by a majority of the whole number of directors present, one person of literary and scientific acquirements, and of skill and experience in the art of teaching, as County Superintendent for the three succeeding years; and certify the result to the State Superintendent, at Harrisburg, as required by the thirty-ninth and fortieth sections of said act.

D. M. WOLF,
County Sup't of Centre County.

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All that certain one-half lot or piece of ground situate and lying in the Borough of Philipsburg, Centre county, Pa., Bounded and described as follows, viz.: Beginning at a post on the north-east, running by Calhoun street, thence on the south-east one hundred feet by the lands of Robert Lloyd, and on the south-west by the premises of Sarah Dolph, and on the north-west by lot No. 15, being the one-half of lot No. 16, which Robert Lloyd by deed, dated the 20th day of August, 1866, and recorded at Bellefonte, Centre county, Pa., in the office for recording deeds, in Deed Book B 2, page 118, &c., conveyed to Albert Owens and by the said Albert Owens conveyed to Sarah Dolph by deed dated the 3rd day of May, 1870, and recorded at Bellefonte in Deed Book F. 2, page 218, and by the said Sarah Dolph conveyed to Mrs. Elizabeth Bennet, party of the first part hereto, by deed dated the 23d day of October, 1875, and recorded in Bellefonte in the office for recording deeds, in Deed Book No. 2, page 7, &c., reference thereunto being had will more fully and at large appear; thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling house and necessary outbuildings

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Elizabeth Bennett.

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the Borough of Bellefonte, county of Centre, and State of Penn'a, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: On the north by an alley on the east by lands of said Robert McKnight, on the south by Curtin street, and on the west by other lands of said Robert McKnight, containing in front on Curtin street sixty feet, and running back two hundred feet to an alley, being the same lot of ground which the said Robert McKnight and Matilda, his wife, have this day granted and conveyed unto the said Bond Valentine.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Bond Valentine.

All those three lots of ground situate in the Borough of Millheim, bounded and described as follows, viz: On the south by Main street, on the west by lot of Anna J. Albright, on the north and east by an alley, thereon erected a two story dwelling house, blacksmith shop and other outbuildings. Said lot fronting 49½ feet on Main street, Also a lot situate in said Borough, bounded by land of E. C. Campbell on the east, on the south by land of J. H. Reifsnyder, on the north by lands of J. S. Auman and Austin Ulrich and on the west by lands of D. A. Musser and turnpike, containing about one acre. No buildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Samuel Albright, Adm'r.

All that certain messuage, tenement or tract of land situate in Howard township, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at stones at corner of Joseph Spart, thence by Joseph Leathers south 39° east, 165 perches, to a post, thence south 50° west, 85½ perches, to a post, thence south 42° east, 76 perches, to a post, thence north 72° east, 12 perches, to Linn at the creek, thence down the creek to an ash, the corner of Daniel Spart, thence by the same north 44° west, 62 perches, to a hickory, thence north 34° west, 30 perches, to a hickory, thence west 23° east, 24 perches, to a pine, thence nertn 47° east, 20 perches to a post, thence north 45° west, 140 perches, to a black oak grub, a corner of Daniel Spart, thence south 47° west, 91 perches, to the place of beginning, containing 131 acres and 122 perches, thereon erected a hay shed, &c. It being the same tract of land which was taken at the appraisement by the said J. L. Neff as the property of Jacob Leathers, deceased. Nov. 22, 1882, gave def't notice of Inquisition.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of J. L. Neff.

All those several messuage tenements and lots of ground situate in the township of Penn, county of Centre, and State of Pa. One thereof beginning at a post, thence North 23° West 10 perches to post, thence North 67° East 4 perches to post; thence South 23° East 10 perches to post, then e by turnpike road South 67° West 4 perches to the place of beginning, containing 40 perches, it being the same premises which Jacob Everts' heirs by deed dated 24th of March, 1882, and recorded in Centre county, in Deed Book U, page 328, granted and conveyed unto the said P. H. stover.

ALSO.—One other thereof, beginning at a post, thence along the above described lot North 23° West 2 perches to a post, thence along lands of Jacob Everts estate South 67° West — perches to post, thence by lot of John Bowersex 23° East —— to post, thence along public road South 71½° East —— to place of beginning, containing 40 perches, it being the same lot which Jacob Everts' heirs by their deed dated March 4th, 1882, and recorded in Centre county, in Deed Book U 2, page 327, granted and conveyed unto the said P. H. Stover On said lots erected a large two-story dwelling house, stable and other out buildings.

ALSO.—All the right, title and interest in and to all that certain lot of ground situate in Penn township, Centre county, Penn'a. Bounded on the West by lot of Jacob Witmeyer, on the North, East and South by lands of Benjamin Kerstetter, containing one-fourth of an acre. Thereon erected a two-story dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of P. H. Stover.

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Harris township, Centre county, Penn'a., it being one-half of a certain lot situate in the town of Boalsburg, and known in the general plot of said town as lot No. 25, it being the Western one-half of said lot, with a large plastered house and frame stable thereon erected and bounded and described as follows: Situate on the South-east corner of said town's Diamond, Square and running South 8 perches along Miller street to Chambers alley, thence along said alley forty-two feet, thence by other half of said lot North eight perches to Diamond, thence West forty-two feet to place of beginning, it being the same lot which James T. Stuart and Emma, his wife, by deed dated the 9th day of August, A. D. 1882, and recorded in Deed Book U—2, page 106, granted and conveyed unto the said George Hoffer. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of George Hoffer.

All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Philipsburg, Centre county, Pa., on the Northwest of Presqueisle and Sixth streets. Bounded on the South 60 feet by Presqueisle street, on the East 200 feet by Sixth street, on the North 60 feet by an alley and on the West 200 feet by lot of Jas. H. Munson, being known as lot 205, having thereon erected a large two-story frame dwelling house, good barn, carriage house and other necessary outbuildings.

Same day gave deft. notice of time and place of holding inquisition, levied on real estate of Deftt., held inquisition thereon August 24th, 1883, property condemned to sale by the Inquest. For further execution of the writ see Schedule of Levy and Inquisition hereto annexed. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Samuel K. Fleck, of the firm of Fleck & Miller.

TERMS.—No deed will be acknowlegded until the purchase money is paid in full.

T. J. DUNKEL,
Sheriff's Office, April 11, '84. Sheriff.
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Miscellaneous.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of Mary Ann Camp, deceased, late of Bellefonte, Centre County, Penn'a, having been granted by the Register of Centre county to the undersigned, he requests all persons indebted to said deceased to come forward and make payment, and those having claims against him to present the same, duly authenticated, for settlement. JACOB BRIDGE,
Administrator.
Bellefonte, Centre Co., April 2, 1884. 16-13-6t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Estate of Benjamin Crain, deceased.—Letters of administration on the estate of Benjamin Crain, late of Ferguson township, Centre county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to Susannah Crain, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay. SUSANNAH CRAIN,
16-13-6t Administratrix.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration upon the estate of Mrs. Eliza Pacini, late of Bellefonte, deceased, having been granted the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them, duly authenticated, for settlement. JOHN P. HARRIS,
12 12 6t Administrator

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Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 24th day of March, in the year of our Lord, 1884, and in the one hundred and seventh year of the independence of the United States.

THOMAS J. DUNKEL,
a2d4w4w Sheriff

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

A Husband's Crime.

ALTOONA, Pa., April 7.—Mrs. Dr. L. U. Beach, the wife of a prominen physician, was discovered in a room at her residence this morning, with her head cut almost from her body. An investigation developed circumstances of so suspicious a character that the doctor has been arrested. It is said that he has already admitted to a number of the family that he committed the deed. Two large knives and a cleaver used for amputation purposes were found beside the victim. The coroner's jury found that Mrs. Beach came to her death at the hands of her husband, and the doctor was accordingly remanded to jail. He admitted that he killed his wife, and wants to be hung or shot. Since his arrest he tried to borrow a knife, and on being refused, asked for a pin, which was also refused as it is believed he intends to commit suicide. He was received into the Lutheran church only yesterday morning, and partook of communion. It is generally believed that he is insane. The inquest developed the fact that the couple did not live happily together. The woman, who was about forty years old, had been married twice before, her last husband having been shot and killed by a desperado two years ago. She married Dr. Beach a year ago. The doctor, who is of German birth and forty-four years old, had a lucrative practice here. When he gave the alarm he went to his brother-in-law's house and told him he had murdered his wife. The room where the murdered woman was found shows evidence of a severe struggle, and the victim's hands were much hacked by clutching the knife used by her murderer. The doctor's socks and underclothing were found and showed many blood stains.

The Democratic Convention.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., April 7.—Chairman Hensel, of the democratic state committee, arrived here this evening and with him were a number of delegates. He met the local committee and final arrangements for the convention were discussed and agreed upon. Little is yet known as to the organization of the convention. C. E. Boyles and J. K. Bogert are spoken of for temporary chairmen, and the only name so far mentioned for permanent chairman is that of R. Milton Speer. The work of the convention will apparently be quickly transacted, the only contest anticipated being in the selection of delegates-at large. To-morrow evening the state committee will fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harry Packer. Eckley B. Cox is spoken of for the place and will undoubtedly be chosen.

Samuel J. Randall is expected here to-morrow morning. Much depends upon the wishes of Randall as to whether the delegates to the national convention shall be instructed or not. The delegates in the city to night number thirty. Among the prominent Democrats here to-night are B. F. Meyers, Judge Hagenman, E. A. Bigler, R. W. Herbert, George H. Hoffman, James H. Barr, A. H. Coffroth and Thomas H. Greevy.

The Loss of the Daniel Steinmann.

HALIFAX, April 7.—The official inquiry into the loss of the steamship Daniel Steinmann was begun this afternoon, and the three passengers who will start for New York to-morrow morning were examined. To morrow Capt. Scott and the Board will go to Sambro Island to take the testimony of the lightkeeper and others. The opinion of all competent to judge is that the loss of the vessel is solely attributable to negligence. The Captain says that he took Sambro Light for Chebucto Head Light, first sighting it two points on the starboard bow and keeping it so starboard. This no sane man who knew anything about the coast or had the sense to look at his approach on the chart would do.

No additional bodies have been recovered from the wreck. Divers were at work to-day for the first time and investigated the position of the wreck. It is the opinion of the divers and others that all the remaining bodies have been washed out and ground to pieces in the surf and breakers.

Incendiarism at Mt. Union.

HUNTINGDON, April 6.—Shortly after 1 o'clock this morning, while the wind was blowing a perfect gale, flames were discovered in the large two-story frame house in Mt. Union, owned by John J. White, Esq., of this city, a member of the board of county auditors, and before the people of the village could be aroused from their slumbers, the building was reduced to ashes. The building was entirely new and had been built over the foundation of the one recently blown up by an explosion of dynamite in which three persons—father and two children—lost their lives. The accident occurred through the carelessness of a man placing dynamite cartridges in the cook stove for the purpose of thawing them out. The origin of the fire was evidently the work of an incendiary, as the building was unoccupied at the time on account of it not having been completed. The loss on the building is $2,000; no insurance.

Huntingdon Presbytery.

BELLWOOD, Pa., April 8.—The attendance at the meeting of Huntingdon Presbytery is large. Between ninety and one hundred ministers and elders are present.

Rev. John C. Barr, of Alexandria, was elected moderator by acclamation. In retiring from the chair and welcoming the incoming moderator, Rev. S. W. Pomeroy very generously presented to the presbytery a handsome gavel, which was accepted with a vote of thanks. Rev. W. K. Foster was elected temporary clerk, and Rev. W. H. Miller reading clerk.

Revs. S. F. Forgeus, of the Baptist church; L. L. Haughawaught, of the presbytery of Northumberland; H. Rinker, of the presbytery of Carlisle; L. P. Hayes, of the United Brethren church, were invited to sit as corresponding members.

Rev. M. L. Cook, of the presbytery of Lackawanna, was received and will accept a call to Philipsburg. Rev. George Elliott, of Carlisle presbytery, was received and will accept calls to Orbisonia, Robertsdale and Mapleton. Rev Eugene Mateer, of the presbytery of Hudson, was received and will accept a call to McVeytown. Rev. David H. Hutchinson of the Congregational church, was received and will accept a call to the church of Everett. These ministers have already been engaged in work in their fields with much encouragement.

The most interesting event of the business of the day was the licensure of Mr. D. W. Woods, Jr., of Lewistown. Mr. Woods is a son of D. W. Woods, Esq., a grandson of the late Rev. James S. Woods, D. D., for many years pastor of the Lewistown church, and a great-grandson of Rev. John Witherspoon, of revolutionary fame, being one of the signers of the declaration of independence and president of Princeton college.

Two Banks Close their Doors.

ST. ALBANS, Vt., April 8.—The First National Bank closed its doors today. The cause is said to be due to stock speculation by President Sowles and his brother. The news caused excitement in Swanton and a run has started on the Union Bank there. The officers say the bank can stand it. The Vilas National Bank of Plattsburg, N. Y., is also closely connected with the St. Albans bank.

MONMOUTH, Ill., April 8.—The First National Bank closed its doors this morning. The cause assigned is speculation by the cashier, B. T. O'Hubbard, whose deficit is estimated at from $45,000 to $100,000. The bank is expected to resume.

Affairs in Egypt.

CAIRO, April 7.—General Graham reached this city to-day. General Stephenson, commander in chief, will to-morrow review the troops returned from Suakim. Major Hunter has returned to Aden, having visited Berbera, Harara, and Zeila, points in the Somli territory, south of the Gulf of Aden. There has been some doubt as to the feeling of the tribes inhabiting that section, but Hunter reports them well disposed toward the Egyptian government, although agitated over the condition of affairs in the Soudan. There will be no danger of trouble, he believes, so long as the British gunboat is allowed to remain.

Killed by a Colored Boy.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 8.—Robert Johnston, the well-known horse-trainer, died early this morning from the effect of the blow of a stone thrown at him yesterday by a negro boy named Joelty. The boy had held Johnston's horse, and, not receiving any compensation, picked up a rock and struck him. Johnston was a brother in-law of Barney McAdley, the actor.

Bedford County for Blaine.

BEDFORD, April 8.—At the republican county convention held to-day Blaine received 836 votes for president, Logan 231. Lincoln 847 for vice president. Hon. J. A. Longenecker and Dr. J. W. Madara were elected delegates to the state convention. Adam Geeks, W. C. Smith and Dr. Charles Long were elected conferees. Both delegates and conferees are strong Blaine men.

Think It Over.

It will only cost you the postage on a letter to write to Drs. Starkey & Palen, 1109 Girard street, Philadelphia, and get their opinion of your case, if you are suffering from any form of disease which your physician has failed to cure, as consumption, neuralgia, catarrh, rheumatism, etc. State it clearly and they will answer promptly, honestly telling you, in view of all the conditions you state, whether they believe Compound Oxygen will do you any good. At the same time they will send you documents containing a history of the discovery of this remarkable substance and a large record of cures which have been made during the last thirteen years, from which you will be able to judge for yourself of its claim upon your confidence.

A Snow Storm in Wisconsin.

JUNCTION CITY, Wis., April 8.—Snow has been falling here during the past twenty four hours and is now six inches deep on the level.

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A Contrast.

Chicago Herald.

The wire-fence controversy in Nevada is the antithesis of that in Texas. In Nebraska it is a ranch company which has fenced in, as it is alleged, 52,000 acres of grazing land belonging to the public domain, and the United States district attorney has begun suit for the removal of the fence, averring that settlers have been prevented from taking up the land.

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching; very distressing, particularly at night; seems as if pinworms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. If allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT" is a pleasant, sure cure. Also, for tetter, Itch, salt rheum, scald-head, erysipelas, barbers' itch, blotches, all scaly, crusty skin diseases. Box, by mail, 50 cts.; 3 for $1.25. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists. 16 14 1y

A debtor, who was sued by his creditor, acknowledged that he had borrowed the money, but declared that the plaintiff knew that it was a Kathleen Mavourneen loan. "A Kathleen Mavourneen loan," replied the court, with a puzzled look. "That's it, Judge, one of the 'it may be for years and it may be forever' sort."

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth! If so, send at once and get a bottle of **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething.** Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures dysentery and diarrhoea, regulates the stomach and bowels, cures wind colic, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. **Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children Teething** is pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price **25 cents** a bottle. 15 22 1y

A beautiful, young lady, elegantly dressed and worth $100,000, appeared in the Tombs court, New York, last Tuesday as a witness. She was much interested in the famous court and gazed earnestly at six young men sitting in a box. Even as she gazed she shuddered, and a little moan broke from her lips. "Are those hardened looking young men prisoners?" she asked. "Oh, no ma'am," replied the justice, greatly shocked, "those are reporters for the morning papers." The young lady said she would like to go and look at the dungeons immediately.

We feel that we are doing the public a favor in calling their attention particularly to Hood's Sarsaparilla. This is not a patent medicine, but a proprietary article, possessing real curative properties, and its effects upon the blood are very positive. Spring Debility, Biliousness, Dyspepsia and all troubles caused by impure blood readily yield to this excellent medicine. We think those who give it a trial for that "out of sort" feeling from which so many suffer and which is peculiar to this season, will be quite satisfied with the result.

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Symptoms: Impure blood, costive bowels, irregular appetite, sour belching, pains in side, back and heart, yellow urine, burning when urinating, clay-colored stools, bad breath, no desire for work, chills fever, irritability, whitish tongue, dry cough, dizzy head, with dull pain in back part, loss of memory, foggy sight. For these troubles "SWAYNE'S PILLS" are a sure cure. Box, (30 pills) by mail, 25 cts.; 5 for $1.00. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists. 16 14 1y

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BENNER TOWNSHIP.

ACRES.	PER.	WARRANTEE NAMES.	TAXES.
58.....		Hoimas, Robt	2 04
100..		Dale, Christ Sr. (owner)	4 90

BOGGS TOWNSHIP.

143.....		Dale, Ann part	14 27
383.....	163	Frazier, Nolbros	25 83
433.....	163	Fishburn, Hannah	41 91
433.....	163	Gray, Wm	38 95
431.....	137	Godfrey, Martha	45 12
433.....	163	Harvey, Jonathan	28 86
418.....	40	Hood, Wm	42 86
431.....	46	Hood, Moses	33 87
181.....		Lucas, J. M. & J. P. Packer	24 60
433.....	163	Lewis, David	43 55
[illegible]		M'Coy, Frank	30 30
50.....		Packer & Lucas	5 01
458.....	84	Russel, Wm	31 13
433.....	163	Russel, Thomas	29 42
50.....		Walker, Jon. (owner)	4 50
46.....		Leathers, Jacob (owner)	2 11
383.....	163	Weiss, Michael	29 69

BURNSIDE TOWNSHIP.

415.....		Black, James	9 34
433.....	163	Brady, Robt	19 44
433.....	163	Brady, Wm P	9 72
433.....	163	Brady, John	9 72
433.....	163	Bell, Wm	12 96
433.....	173	Bingham, Wm	56 99
415.....		Boyd, John	18 67
433.....	163	Byers, John	19 59
433.....	163	Cook, Wm	19 44
433.....	163	Cowdon, John	12 96
433.....	163	Dewart, Wm	6 48
433.....	163	Dewart, John	6 48
433.....	163	Donelly, Henry	6 48
433.....	163	Donelly, John	12 96
453.....	163	Fox, Sam'l M	12 96
433.....	163	Gray, Robt	6 48
433.....	163	Gray, Wm	6 48
433.....	163	Grant, Thomas	12 96
433.....	163	Graves, Alex	12 96
433.....	163	Goben, Charles	6 48
433.....	163	Hamilton, Thomas	12 96
140.....		Harris, Henry	12 60
433.....	153	Harrison, Geo	19 52
433.....	163	Housel, John	12 96
433.....	153	Hunt, Person	45 47
433.....	163	Kidd, John	10 35
415.....		Levy, Nathaniel	12 43
433.....	163	Lyon, John	12 96
433.....	153	McLanahan, Blair	19 52
433.....	153	McLanahan, Geo	45 46
433.....	153	McLanahan, Polly	45 46
433.....	153	McLanahan, Ann	45 46
433.....	150	Mead, Geo	64 93
200.....		Miller, Wm	6 00
433.....	163	Morris, Joseph	12 96
433.....	153	Nicholson, John	38 98
233.....	153	Pettit, And	39 47
133.....	163	Shaffer, Henry	12 96
415.....		Tallman, Sarah M	12 43
433.....	153	Tench, Francis	32 54
433.....	163	Towers, James	9 72
415.....		Thomas, Joseph	12 43
415.....		Wallace, Joseph	9 34
433.....	163	Wallace, Joseph	12 96
415.....		Weitzel, John	11 47
415.....		Weidner, Jacob	37 23
123.....		Wheeler, Henry	3 66
433.....	163	Wilson, Bird	12 86
204.....		Withington, Martin	3 05

COLLEGE TOWNSHIP.

421.....		Johnston, Ross	15 43

CURTIN TOWNSHIP.

434.....		Ainsley, Robt	50 69
415.....		Allen, Chas	50 90
376.....		Baird, Samuel	38 35
185.....		Brady, Wm P	37 92
397.....		Carscadden, D	45 78
337.....		Coals, Lindley	23 00
150.....		Custer, Paul	13 74
30.....		Curtin, John	3 98
200.....	120	Carscadden, D	14 60
311.....		Dshaven, Peter 3/5	52 82
106.....		Devling, Joseph	12 40
434.....		Devling, Joseph	50 78
135.....		Donald, Henry	33 60
311.....		Evans, Cadwalder	52 82
415.....		Elliot, Wm	70 44
415.....		Eddy, Ester	82 84
448.....	99	Epple, And	73 38
415.....		Gray, Robt	64 24
415.....		Gray, Wm	64 24
415.....		Gilbert, Wm	82 90
360.....		Godfrey, Martha	83 00
300.....	142	Godfrey, John W	44 10
120.....		Hahn, Peter	72 24
415.....		Hahn, Susan	64 24
60.....		Hollowell, Ed	41 20
142.....		Humphrey, Thos	14 47
203.....		Irvin, James	39 12
380¾....		Kelso, Joseph	56 80
403.....		Kelso, Rebecca	60 18
400.....		Kelso, Joseph	48 00
200.....		Lane, Mary	33 20
150.....		Lane, Sarah	41 50
415.....		Levy, Nathaniel	82 90
207½....		Lowns, Caleb	32 46
207½....		Longstreth, Isaac	38 26
207½....		Lowns, Caleb	38 26
207½....		Longstreth, Isaac	38 26
70.....		Mason, John S	12 32
450.....		McCauley, John	45 11
200.....		Meyer, Philip	47 00
100.....		Meyer, Simon	23 50
420.....	48	Meyer, Michael	95 80
420.....		Meyer, Valentine	95 80
196.....		Miller, James	29 12
486.....		Mitchell, Wm P	46 80
434.....		Mitchell, Wm P	49 78
230.....		Mitchell, Wm P	25 74
200.....		Mitchell, John P	33 93
110.....		Meyers, Royer	6 49
313.....	112	Orvis, Ellis L	36 64
434.....		Packer, J W	49 78
42.....		Packer, J W	4 91
15.....		Packer, J W	1 50
110.....		Packer, W M	12 87
326.....		Packer, J W	39 14
52.....		Quigley, Cline	5 54
100.....		Smith, Peter	16 20
433.....	153	Scott, Samuel	86 88
433.....	163	Tallman, Mary	50 78
200.....		Tunis, Richard	20 40
200.....		Tunis, Richard	19 80
415.....		Waln, Jacob	41 04
217.....		Wharton, Fishburn	35 50
217.....		Wharton, Fishburn	35 50
160.....		Willis, Jonathan	11 10
415.....		Wistar, Caspar	114 90
433.....	163	White, James	91 99
160.....		Willis, Jonathan	11 10
401.....		Yardley, Wm	47 00

FERGUSON TOWNSHIP.

100.....		Burchfield, Wm	5 05
10.....		Hicks, Abram	1 42
150.....		Thomas, Peacock (ow'r)	12 00

GREGG TOWNSHIP.

130.....		Askin, Robt	4 68
110.....		Mosely, Jacob	2 65
130.....		Mercer, John	4 03
120.....		Reese, Daniel	4 99
150.....		Zeigler, Michael	1 79
52.....		A Custer's est (owner)	3 09

HAINES TOWNSHIP.

363.....	60	Barr, Thomas	6 51
406.....	60	Barr, Margt	7 25
87.....		Barrows, John of	1 20
375.....	60	Barr, James	6 73
388.....	60	Barr, Mary	6 92
154.....		Beck, Henry	2 96
446.....	28	Dudbridge, Hannah	5 92
181.....	8	Fees, Jacob	2 49
406.....	89	Gratz, Michael	7 23
400.....		Gratz, Bernard	5 35
262.....	140	Gilliman, H & S Snyder	17 06
253.....		Gilliman, H & S Snyder	12 93
435.....		Hall, Chas	16 90
400.....	60	Links, Mary	7 20
106.....		Lowery	1 38
200.....		Parker, Wm	1 78
170.....		Stover & Wolf	3 04
88.....		Fidd, Wm	83
150.....		D Hensel (owner)	3 33
125.....		D Hensel (owner)	1 10
25.....	139	Wiess, John & Sol Nidigh	45

HALFMOON TOWNSHIP.

48.....		Beck, Dan	13 86
95.....		Keith, Jacob	28 40
216.....		Lamburn, Josiah	32 28
24.....		Jacob Vanpool (owner)	4 96
63.....	89	C Vanpool "	9 33
67.....	76	C Vanpool "	11 52
45.....		C Vanpool "	3 08

HARRIS TOWNSHIP.

400.....		Andre, Absolom	3 80
133.....		Fox, Geo	1 89
400.....		Harrison, Wm	3 80
50.....		Irvin, John	1 22
400.....		Parker, Richard	3 80
400.....		Reed, James	3 80
407.....	92	Wharton, Kearney	4 73
100.....		Young, Sam	96

HOWARD TOWNSHIP.

107.....	104	Brown, Sam	6 68
136.....	92	Harris, Jas D	3 81

Sales.

55.....		Harris, Jas D	2 09
160.....		Willis, Jon, S E End	14 32
160		Willis, Jonathan	14 31

HUSTON TOWNSHIP.

433.....	163	Barter, James	25 10
120.....		Kuhn, Adam	8 88
59.....		Kuhns	4 34
433.....	163	Price, John	25 10
433.....	163	Rollington, John	35 11
433.....	163	Wheeland, John	25 11

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

166.....		Hayes, Robt & Jas	25 95
171.....		Hess, Geo D	10 87
309.....	3	Irvin, Robt	29 64
310.....		Jackson, Jere	22 63
180.....		Lytle, Peter	6 80
160.....		Lytle, Peter	6 05
175.....		Quigley, James A	10 56
168.....		Shaw & Lingle	8 21
349.....		Smith, Christian	10 72

MARION TOWNSHIP.

17.....		Lewis, Robt	4 07
37.....	100	McKinney, David	6 20
70.....		Rohrer, Chris	18 06
*50.....		Wm Tilghman (owner)	12 90
100.....		J P Harris "	12 36
19.....		Isaac Fraiu "	7 04
28.....		John Zeigler "	7 98
60.....		Yarger, Simon	4 02
60.....		Yarger, Simon	4 02
200.....		Young, Robt	22 80

MILES TOWNSHIP.

430.....		Brady, Robt	7 94
41)		Brady, Hannah	7 56
255.....		Brady, Jane	4 70
200.....		Brady, John	3 70
440.....		Brady, Wm P	8 14
146.....		Brady, Wm	2 66
424.....		Calhoun, Geo	7 80
403.....		Carothers, James	7 42
150.....		Cooper, Wm	2 78
320.....		Fearon, Joseph	5 92
429.....		Gray, Robt	7 88
476.....		Grant, Thomas	8 78
203.....		Hamer, Wm	5 77
460.....		Hunter, Alex	8 50
430.....		Jackson, Jeremiah	6 28
320.....		Kitts, Geo	5 92
300.....		Levy, Aaron	5 45
425.....		Norton, Saml	7 83
300.....		Parker, Wm	5 54
324.....		Parker, Richard	5 98
324.....		Parker, Jeremiah	5 98
58.....		Parker, Wm	1 03
125.....		Stedman, Wm	2 91
200.....		Smith, Thomas	3 70
100.....		Scott, Abraham	1 84
50.....		Scott, Saml	91
150.....		Scott, Abraham	2 77
90.....		Scott, Sam'l	1 65
130.....		Taggert, Robert	2 39
275.....		Tripp, John	5 07
425.....		Toland, Henry	7 83
100.....		Long, C (owner)	1 75
125.....		Wharton, Moore	2 38
425.....		William, David	7 82

PENN TOWNSHIP.

150.....		Armstrong, James	6 00
150	10	Cowdon, John	6 00
112.....	19	Cowdon, John	3 91
150.....		Hamilton, Thomas	6 00
150.....		Hepburn, James	6 00
116.....	31	Hepburn, James	4 08
150.....		Kennedy, John	6 00
150.....		Kennedy, James	6 00
104.....	89	Kennedy, And	3 62
108.....	131	Kennedy, John	3 72
113.....	8	Kennedy, James	3 81
200.....		Lyon, Robert	8 00
200		Lyon, Ezekial	8 00
200		Lyon, Benj	8 00
100.....		Montgomery, Wm	4 00
100.....		Montgomery, Dan'l	4 00
200.....		M'Calley, Wm	8 00
200..		McCalley, John	8 00

POTTER TOWNSHIP.

288.....		Bound, Mary	4 66
81	111	Cameron, Alex	1 49
132.....		Carothers	2 10
20.....		Fullmer, H B	64
400		Garigus, Edward	5 69
400.....		Garigus, Wm	5 69
400.....		Harrison, Wm	8 04
40.....		Livingstone	74
105.....		McClellan, Geo	1 67
70		Peck, Jos	1 49
90.....		John Bitner (owner)	1 01

SPRING TOWNSHIP.

186.....	115	Purdon, John	6 14
300.....		Robison, Catharine	9 90
300.....		Robison, Rebecca	9 90
150.....		Robison, Richard	4 97
96.....	66	Fool, Henry	6 60
92.....	102	Thornburg, Thomas	6 60
100.....		J Gordon (owner)	3 30
75.....		Emeline Whitney (owner)	7 42

SNOW SHOE TOWNSHIP.

433.....		Byard, And	107 79
433.....	153	Bingham, Wm	80 95
433.....	153	Brunt, Felix	80 95
60.....		Clymer, Geo	8 46
433.....	153	Campbell, Geo	80 95
412.....	44	Carscadden, David	67 56
412.....	44	Carscadden, David	77 04
287.....	86	Carscadden, David	47 06
433.....	153	Cox, Paul	80 95
433.....	153	Cuthburt, Thos	80 95
433.....	153	Cunningham, D H	78 44
433.....	153	Delaney, Sharp	80 95
300.....		Develing, Joseph	39 90
218.....		Dobson, Sam'l	27 89
438.....		Eddy, Geo	45 48
200.....		Fitzsimmons, Thos	23 60
433.....	163	Fox, Sam'l M	86 78
433.....	163	Fisher, James C	71 00
433.....	163	Fisher, Sam'l W	80 95
60.....		Gray, Robert	8 46
200.....		Higby, Jos	26 80
383.....		Hale, James T	67 18
50.....		Hale, James T	5 25
433.....	153	Hawthorn, Thos	80 95
433.....	153	Hauthorn, James	80 95
433.....	153	Lewis, Wm	80 95
433.....	153	Lewis, Wm lawyer	80 95
433.....		Linn, Saml	70 99
155.....		Liggit, John	57 87
400.....		Long, J Z	60 40
200.....		Long, J Z	37 40
214.....		Long, J Z	47 41
433.....	153	Mayian, Jasper	70 99
433.....	153	Mayston, Edward	70 99
433.....		McManmis, James	70 99
433.....	153	McLanahan, Blair	70 99
433.....	153	Mead, Geo	66 00
433.....	153	McPherson, Wm	66 00
438.....	163	McEwen, Thos	70 99
434.....	153	Milliken, M T	61 03
400.....	73	Mitchell, N J	57 64
433.....		Misner, Luse	70 99
4 9.....		Morgan, Benj R	55 45
438.....	153	Morris, Robt	76 07
368.....	71	Nesbit, John M	69 09
438.....	153	Parker, Wm	55 45
216.....		Parker, Jeremiah	27 63
716.....		Parker, Jeremiah	27 63
360.....		rim, John	59 04
360.....	144	Pim, Hugh	59 04
300.....		Redley, Job	54 60
360.....	144	Riley, John	59 04
433.....	153	Shipman, Thos L	70 99
433.....	153	Scott, Edward	70 99
433.....	156	Tallman, Benjamin	55 45
162.....		Tomkins, Jos	17 23
433.....	163	Tallman, Sarah M	70 99
433.....	153	Valentine, A S	52 99
190.....	8	Vandyke, Henry	31 16
433.....	153	Wain, Rebecca	55 45
433.....	163	Wain, Phely	70 78
433.....	153	Wharton, Moore	70 99
433.....	153	Wharton, Elizabeth	55 45
493.....	163	Wharton, Thos F	70 99
433.....	153	West, Francis	70 99
433.....	153	West, Benj	70 99
265.....		West Frances	27 80
433.....	153	West, Wm H	45 57
433.....	153	West, John	45 57
109.....		West, Frances	13 89

RUSH TOWNSHIP.

433.....	153	Allison, John	175 15
328		Allison, James	132 50
250.....		Allison, And	119 50
300.....		Allison, A & J Lilly	143 40
327.....	10	Armstrong, And	30 27
40.....	10	Atherton, Richard	18 04
164.....	10	Allison, James	19 97
104.....		Bauman, Joseph	12 80
52.....		Bauman, Joseph	14 18
433.....	163	Beverage, David	37 67
433.....	163	Brickley, Dan	44 99
433.....	163	Bruzman, Peter	154 66
½ of 433.....	163	Boreland, John	25 04
100.....		Copenhaver, John	9 10
433.....	153	Cunningham, John	110 10
100.....		Clymer, Geo	39 70
100.....		Campbell, Geo	39 70
300.....		Cuthburt, Thos	119 10
433.....	163	Delany, Sharp	37 67
155.....	99	Dorsh, Frederick	46 09
433.....	153	Edwards, Thos	154 65
433.....	163	Ehler, Dan	65 58
50		Frence, Edward	9 00
433.....	153	Fitzgerald, Dan	65 58
433.....	153	Funk, John	43 50
200.....		Fitzsimmons, Thos	29 67
274.....		Graff, Sabastian	90 34
433.....	153	Graff, Sabastian	195 31
216.....	156	Grant, Thomas	77 26
433.....	153	Grant, Thomas	177 78
213.....		Gray, Wm	88 18
438.....	163	Glentworth, Jas	37 67
50.....		Grove, Elizabeth	6 93
100.....		Gray, Robt	29 76
131.....	152	Grove & McKean	3 84

Sales.

433.....	153	Hair, Christian	49 37
426.....	164	Hair, Christian	39 10
433.....	153	Hair, David	49 37
216.....	153	Hamilton, Thomas	27 26
434.....	153	Hamilton, Hugh	27 59
433.....	153	Hand, John

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—Fresh white paint now beautifies the exterior of John Anderson's restaurant.

—A. A. Dale, Esq., has the thanks of the NEWS reporter for recent reportorial aid.

—The base ball fever promises to be epidemic this year to a greater degree than ever before.

—A man was killed on the railroad near Altoona last week whose name is supposed to be George Bancroft. He was going to the Clearfield mining region.

—The borough council will be pleased, some day, to avail themselves of Collector Jones' kind invitation, and they must do so soon as the oyster season is almost over.

—The trial of Thompson vs. Christ for trespass began last week. The plaintiff is represented by Alexander & Bower and Beaver & Gephart; the defendant by A. O. Furst, Esq., of Bellefonte, and Cline Furst, Esq., of Lock Haven.

—The Williamsport *Sun and Banner* announces the marriage of Rev. J. H. Welsh, of Howard, this county, to Miss Lizzie, daughter of Elias R. Hoffman, of Mifflin township, Lycoming county, which occurred on the 13th of March.

—The lady members of the walking club have got the art of pedestrianism down quite fine, and we frankly confess that one of them *passed* us twice on the street recently. We shall look more carefully to our own laurels hereafter.

—Have you visited the new headquarters of Deschner, the gunsmith? The building in which he is located is well adapted to the purpose and the shooting gallery opened last Wednesday evening will prove quite an attraction. Of course, it is lighted by electricity.

—On Saturday, April 5, two young sons of Mr. Derstine met with a painful accident. They were playing near a fire in the yard, over which was suspended a kettleful of boiling water. In jumping over the fire the kettle was upset, spilling the water over their feet.

—On Tuesday morning, the 8th, a Democratic legal gentleman said that court would adjourn several hours to permit the Republicans to blow off gas. "Yes," returned a Republican of the same profession, "we'll blow off sufficient gas to suffocate the Democrats next November."

—On Monday, April 7, our reporter saw a bouquet of green leaves and Spring violets. What was remarkable about it is that the leaves and blossoms in this bouquet were all gathered out-doors and were the growth and blossoms of this season. The leaves were those of a gooseberry bush growing on Mr. C. T. Gerberich's premises.

—A neat fence encloses a substantial platform in front of S. A. Stover's marble works on which specimens of the work executed within will probably be placed. Another improvement which we intended to notice before is the location of a small business office in one corner of the workshop, which will add to the convenience of those who call to transact business.

—Harry Gordon, a young lad employed as cash boy in the "Bee Hive Stores," was so unfortunate on Monday, April 7, as to fall from a wagon, breaking his right leg below the knee. It will be a severe trial to Harry, not only because of the long siege of confinement which must necessarily follow the accident, but also because he is ambitious to be as useful as he can in earning money.

—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the B. E. V. Railroad Company held in the city of Philadelphia on Tuesday, the 8th inst., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: L. A. Mackey, President; A. G. Curtin, Geo. B. Roberts, John P. Green, C. A. Mayer, I. N. DuBarry, James Duffy, James M. Gamble, Edmund Blanchard, John Irwin, Wistar Morris, Edmund Smith and Henry M. Phillips, Directors.

—The Huntingdon Presbytery at Bellwood on Wednesday elected four commissioners to the General Assembly at Saratoga, viz: Rev. J. J. Francis, of Birmingham, and Rev. Robert F. Wilson, of Port Royal; and ruling elders John A. Crawford, of Sinking Valley, and John N. Moore, of Lost Creek. Rev. J. Vernon Bell was dismissed, at his request, from the churches of Penfield and Winterburn, and will accept a unanimous call to the Bethany First church of DuBois. At 3 o'clock Presbytery adjourned to accept an invitation from R. G. Ford, superintendent of Bells Gap railroad, to take a trip through the grand scenery traversed by that road. On the home trip Rev. Dr. Hamill rode on the engine to obtain a better view. The ride was greatly enjoyed.

Work Accomplished by the Republican County Convention.

The principal proceedings of the county convention held in the Court House on Tuesday, April 8, were published in the NEWS of that day, and we give them complete in the REPUBLICAN more as matter of record than of news.

The convention, which was large, harmonious and eminently respectable both in the intelligence and the appearance of its members, was called together at 1 o'clock to conclude the work that should be brought before it, in time for the regular session of court. Col. D. S. Keller, chairman of the Republican county committee, spoke the words which brought order out of confusion, and Mr. James L. Sommerville was elected chairman of the convention. Other officers elected were Messrs. J. B. Curtin and Richard Beaston, secretaries, and A. A. Dale, Esq., reading clerk.

The committee on resolutions, consisting of Harry Simler, S. D. Ray, P. F. Musser, Wm. J. Thompson, Jr., and Capt. S. H. Bennison, reported as follows:

Resolved, That we, the Republicans of Centre county, in convention assembled, congratulate the Republicans of our State and throughout the country upon the promises and prospects of a grand Republican victory in our next State and National contests.

Resolved, That we heartily approve and endorse the administration of our worthy President, Chester A. Arthur; and believe that his wise, dignified and statesmanlike course commends itself to all citizens.

Resolved, That in a tariff for protection to American industry, we recognize a cardinal principle of the Republican party, and the leading issue of the coming Presidential campaign.

Resolved, That we hold the Democratic Governor and the Democratic party of our State wholly responsible for the useless extra session of our Legislature and its long continuance, and for the enormous taxes entailed upon the people thereby.

Resolved, That in view of the fact that an overwhelming majority of the Republicans of our county favor the nomination of the Hon. James G. Blaine for the Presidency, of the United States, we commend his name as one eminently qualified for the post, and who would prove a gallant and chivalrous leader in the next contest.

Resolved, That the delegates this day elected to the State and district conventions as well as the senatorial conferees be and they are hereby instructed to vote for none but pronounced Blaine men, for either delegates at large or district delegates; and that they use every honorable effort to secure such instructions as shall bind the delegates to Chicago to earnestly support James G. Blaine as long as his name shall be before the National Convention.

Resolved, That the delegates to the State Convention be and are hereby instructed to nominate and support Wm. P. Duncan as a delegate at large to the National Convention, with instructions to vote for and support James G. Blaine for the Presidential nomination so long as his name shall be before that body.

The resolutions were read and adopted.

A motion made by Dr. Christ that delegates to the State Convention be instructed to vote for Robert Lincoln for Vice President was adopted.

Nominations were made for delegates to the State Convention as follows: Wm. H. Wigton, D. S. Keller, George Valentine. Messrs. Keller and Wigton were elected.

Dr. Theo. Christ of Lemont, and Robt. Lloyd, of Philipsburg, were elected Congressional delegates.

Senatorial Conferees were W. J. Thompson, S. D. Ray and John Hickland.

The Convention then considered the question of the number of commissioners and auditors for each township and voted in favor of nominating two commissioners and two auditors.

The ballot on "representation" resulted in favor of proportionate representation. This, we understand, gives each township at least one delegate and bases the representation in townships containing a large Republican population on the proportion of one delegate for each fifty voters.

On motion, Wm. P. Duncan, Wm. Mallison and S. D. Ray were appointed a committee to assist the county committee to apportion the delegate representation.

After the business of the convention was concluded D. H. Hastings, Esq., addressed the convention in a congratulatory speech in his usual happy style.

D. S. Keller, Esq., who was chosen a delegate to the State Convention, also made a speech explaining his position as a pronounced Arthur man selected by a convention that had pledged itself to select only pronounced Blaine men as representative delegates. He said that certain avowals made by him which appeared in the New York *Tribune*, were originally given to an Erie paper, and were his opinions at that time. He said, however, that even if he had been sent to the Convention uninstructed he would have considered himself pledged to represent the sentiments of his constituents by supporting Blaine; much more so going as he does instructed to do so.

The Convention adjourned at an early hour, and the groups of delegates noticed on the streets during the afternoon, intently engaged in animated and cheerful conversation, was sufficient evidence of the good feeling which prevailed and of the entire satisfaction felt on all hands in regard to the work of the Convention.

The New Borough Council.

President F. B. Crider was in the chair Monday evening, April, 7, and did not deliver his inaugural address he rapped the council to order at an hour so late that precluded the idea of getting even a glimpse of Mattie Vickers. Other councilmen present were Messrs. Shortlidge, Bartley, Cedars, McCafferty, Tate, Ed. Brown, Jr., Hicks and L. L. Brown.

After the minutes were read and approved, the clerk read the committees appointed by the chairman as follows:

Finance—L. L. Brown, H. K. Hicks, Ed. Brown, Jr.

Water—Wm. Shortlidge, Joseph Cedars, H. K. Hicks.

Market—R. McCafferty, Wm. Shortlidge, Ed. Brown Jr.

Street—D. K. Tate, L. L. Brown, David Bartley.

Fire and Police—David Bartley, D. K. Tate, R. McCafferty.

Nuisance—Joseph Cedars, Ed. Brown, Jr., L. L. Brown.

When the verbal communications were called for, L. L. Spangler, Esq., who was present, said that he appeared in behalf of residents of East Curtin street, who would also present a petition. He especially requested council to compel residents near the Allegheny connection of that street to put down board walks. He says that he has fourteen lots on the street and will willingly build walks in front of his property when those further west have done so.

A petition signed by about all the residents of that street was then read making a similar request in reference to boardwalks and street lamps. This request was afterward referred to the street committee.

Mr. William Jones was nominated for collector for the ensuing year and on motion of Mr McCafferty his election was made by acclamation. His compensation is 5 per cent.

On motion of Mr. Tate, Mr. Peter McMahon was chosen lamplighter at a yearly salary of $324.

The same gentleman moved that Mr. Thos. Shaughensey be made street commissioner, Carried. Salary, $1 50 for each day he works.

Mr. Samuel Rine was, on motion of Mr. Shortlidge, selected for engineer at Water Works and superintendent of water pipes. The question of salary was not acted upon.

Subject of salary for the borough engineer and the borough solicitor was deferred for a future meeting.

The salary of clerk of council was continued, as last year, at $150.

Clerk Mitchell read a complete financial statement for the year which we shall probably give elsewhere. It shows a considerable deficit for the year, but this is abundantly accounted for by extraordinary expenses, such as bridge building, repairs at water works, etc., which will probably not occur again for a long time. The borough affairs have been managed with great economy and commendable discretion, and the greatest financier in the world could have made no better showing.

Railroad Connection with Lock Haven.

The citizens of Lock Haven are anxious to share in the advantages which the new Bald Eagle Valley road will bring. The following in reference to one of their schemes to accomplish this purpose is from the L. H. *Democrat* of Sunday, April 6:

Col. W. W. Morrison, Samuel Christ and others are agitating the matter of building a railroad to be owned and managed by the citizens of Lock Haven with a view of connecting with the railroad projected by the Messrs. Collins, running from Bellefonte down the Bald Eagle Valley until it is intersected with the Beech Creek road. This would give a continuous line of railway from Lock Haven to Bellefonte and by way of Buffalo Run through the ore regions of Centre county, making in all a feeder to Lock Haven about sixty miles in length. The projected Lock Haven line would be from two to four miles in length. The people of Bellefonte have held public meetings and raised the money, we understand, to pay the right of way for the entire distance to Beech Creek. We understand that subscriptions to the capital stock of this company have been secured in Lock Haven to the amount of about twenty thousand dollars. Every man in town who can should join to swell the amount.

—Huntingdon is excited over the birth of a double-headed calf.

Reception Committee.

The Y. M. C. A. Reception Committee was entertained on Monday evening, April 7, by Mr. Wash Rees. The members of the Committee came together at about 9 o'clock, and partook of an elegant supper, after which Mr. Ed. Garman took the chair and the committee proceeded to business. It was decided to hold a festival some time during the month of June, and from the plans that were suggested the people of Bellefonte may expect to see something unequalled in the way of a festival.

The Friday evening receptions were discussed and plans adopted to make them more attactive. The attention of the committee was called to the fact that only one regular illustrated paper is supplied in the reading room, and although it does not come within the duties of the reception committee, however, they realized its importance, and decided to add the three following at once: "Harper's Weekly," "Frank Leslie's," and "Puck." The great demand for a first class gymnasium in Bellefonte was discussed, and the committee finally decided to inaugurate a movement during the summer months for its establishment. The object of all this is the improvement of the physical, social, mental, moral, and spiritual condition of the class of persons for whom the Association is organized—YOUNG MEN. Let an appreciative public, who has the welfare of this class of persons at heart, come to the front and assist in the furtherance of the work.

—On Monday, April 7, we saw and handled a nail which was made at the Nail Works of steel turned out at the Steel Works in this place *on Saturday, April* 5. That's rather quick work. The nail can be bent until almost double without breaking, which is considered a high test of excellence. We not only saw the nail, but we also put on a pair of Mr. Henderson's colored glass spectacles and looked into the fiery depths of the furnace. A very brief inspection satisfied us—that it was hot. Then we saw the ingots, great and small, prepared for receiving the molten metal and were invited to remain to see the fiery compound poured out, but time would not permit. Mr. Henderson, Jr., also exhibited to us a small engine which he built during leisure time last winter. We saw all this and more than space will permit us to describe, and hastened away more confident than ever before that Henderson's process for making steel is a great invention.

—Married: At Baltimore, Md., on Sunday, April 6, 1884, at 6 o'clock p. m., Mr. Samuel Lewin, of Bellefonte, to Miss Helen Obendorf, of Baltimore. Mr. Lewin is the courteous, gentlemanly and enterprising proprietor of the Philadelphia Branch clothing store on Allegheny street. His bride comes from a city which is known near and far as the abode of a large proportion of the most handsome and accomplished ladies of America. She visited her friend, Miss Fanny Goldsmith, a short time ago, and then began that attachment which culminated so beautifully on Sunday, the 6th. After a brief wedding tour they will locate in Bellefonte. May their lives be a reflection of happiness as pure as is the light which radiates from a sun-kissed dew-drop.

—The attention of the borough authorities is called to the condition of West Logan street, near the Friends' meeting house. During the three years which expired April 1 it has been in a most lamentable condition, great holes existing here and there in which the water stands until it becomes exceedingly detrimental to health. It is not often that the humble folk of that vicinity expect the kind interference of the borough officers in their behalf, but as some citizens are becoming careworn and anxious waiting and watching for relief, it would be but an act of mercy to fill up some of the holes with small stones before aforesaid citizens leave this mundane sphere for a city whose streets are supposed to be paved in a somewhat superior style.

—The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Shaffer was the scene Tuesday evening, April 8th, of a delightful surprise party, about thirty lady and gentlemen friends of the happy couple gathering for that purpose. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer intend to depart in a few weeks to Iowa where they will locate on a farm in the central portion of that lively and prosperous State. We regret to part with them and indulge in the hope that their experience there will be pleasant and prosperous. A word of caution: Don't locate in the line of the festive cyclone.

—Advancing spring warns us to be prepared for warm weather. Strengthen the system, purify the blood, by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Miscellaneous.

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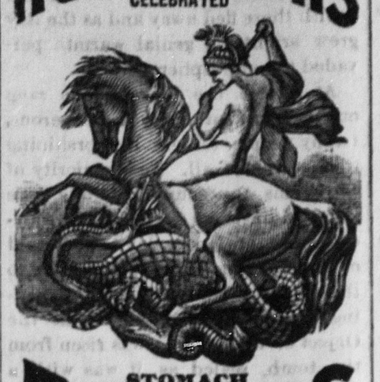

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Local Department.

—Farewell to Lent.

—Shad are abundant.

—Gardening is in progress.

—Madisonburg is soon to be the scene of a double wedding.

—Mann's axe works, at Boiling Spring, is now in operation at its fullest capacity.

—Miss Fairy Shaffer, of Madisonburg, has just completed a quilt containing 4918 patches. She is one of the good kind of fairies.

—Mr. Newton Weaver, whose home is near Rebersburg, is suffering severely from the kick of a horse, received on Monday, the 7th inst.

—Bellefonte's skating rink is the platform at the depot. The quite young maidens move along on roller skates very gracefully and divide with George Meek and his bicycle the attention of the public.

—Ebensburg is resting serenely under six inches of the beautiful snow. —*Altoona Tribune*. Ebensburg is an exceptional community, if she can maintain her serenity under such an infliction on the 11th of April.

—Millheimers are agitating the subject of street lamps. Better get the electric light over there which will save the expense of erecting posts for the lights, and thus deprive drunken men of one means of support.

—The following persons departed from Millheim on the 8th inst., for Bridgewater, Dakota: H. H. Weiser, E. Brumgard, E. Frank, H. K. Luse and Wilson Bollinger and wife. The band gave them a farewell serenade.

—Mr. John Sweetwood, of Spring Mills, whose horse, in its dying agonies, kicked him quite severely some time ago, has received $300 from the railroad company as recompense for the death of the horse and his own personal injury.

—A wedding to occur in Williamsport on the 24th instant will be that of J. B. Shloss, of Baltimore, and Miss Minnie Ullman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ullman, of the former city. It will be a notable event in the history of Williamsport weddings.

—James M. Rogers, of East Main street, Lock Haven, has mysteriously disappeared leaving a wife and seven children. When last seen he was in Marietta and there are reasons to suppose that he has been foully dealt with. Information of him will be thankfully received by his wife.

—An employe of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co's wheel shop in Altoona, was struck on the nose by a crane, with the force of about 4500 lbs on Thursday, and that member was "badly damaged." If the man's nose hadn't been in the way the force of the blow would probably have killed him.

—The Republicans of York county instructed for our townsman, Gen. James A. Beaver, for candidate for Congressman-at-Large. But as he has declined to accept the nomination that county will advocate the nomination of one of its own citizens in the person of Dr. Bressler, who will make an acceptable nominee.

—The Mite Society of the Presbyterian church met on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Edmund Blanchard on High street, there being about seventy persons present. It is the intention of the Society to use the proceeds of their meetings hereafter toward the purchase of an organ for the church. We hope that future meetings will be well attended and the proceeds large.

—We hear that the horse taken on Sunday night, April 6, from the stable of Mr. Henry Fredericks, of Boalsburg, has been recovered. It was found fastened about a mile from the nearest railroad station and the theory is advanced that the men who also took quite a large amount of cash from the store of Mr. Jerry Dinges on the same night stole the horse only to enable them to escape more easily and expeditiously

—It is a truth that the more people study music the less willing are they to give musical performances either vocal or instrumental. If all the music teachers were banished for about a half century it is possible that the day might come when a sufficient number of musical people could be found to form a respectable church choir. It is truly astonishing when one mingles with a small company of a dozen or so in the evenings to find that not one of them can perform on any musical instrument sufficiently well to entertain the company. This is especially applicable to Bellefonte.

Easter Etchings.

Easter day, the Queen of Festivals in the Christian church, dawned bright, cool and pleasant. Feathery clouds were in the sky, but as the King of Day advanced toward the zenith these fled away and as the day grew brighter a genial warmth pervaded the atmosphere.

At 10 a. m. the church bells rang out their invitations to a prosperous, happy people to join in worshiping the Creator of all. To a majority of Christians the sound of these bells also had in them the peculiarly joyous spirit of Easter day. They told of the weeping women going early to the sepulchre and of the all-pervading joy when they found that the Object of their search was risen from the tomb, sealed as it was with a heavy stone and guarded by soldiers.

In the Protestant Episcopal church profuse floral offerings, including numerous delicate and very choice flowers and vines, combined to make the interior of that beautiful temple of worship a bower of Spring-time beauty. Every window contained a white, pure lily, with here and there between the windows a basket of cut flowers, white predominating with a suitable admixture of delicate pink and yellow tints. Just outside the chancel rail on either side were large flower stands burdened with potted plants, principally geraniums. The altar was surmounted by two superb bouquets with other choice flowers intermingling with green decorations. From the beak of the eagle which forms the upper portion of the ornate reading desk was suspended a basket of flowers, while a delicate green vine traced its way around and down the beautifully carved column which supports the desk, the vine caught here and there by a white lily. On the font was a cross of the choicest flowers. There were doubtless other decorations, but those outlined above were sufficient to satisfy our taste for the beautiful and to lead us to pronounce the effect very charming and highly devotional in its tendencies. We have not learned the names of all the parties who aided in the really laborious duty of furnishing and arranging these decorations, but understand that the ever-willing Rector assisted by the devoted ladies made this the most beautiful Easter display that the church has ever contained.

The services were suitable to the occasion. The choir was composed of Dr. Harris and Messrs. Montgomery and Bradley, Misses Sarah and Mary Bradley, with Mrs. F. P. Blair at the organ. They rendered the special Easter music appointed for the morning service in an artistic manner. The sermon on the "Power of the Resurrection," by Rev. John Hewitt was, as is naturally to be expected from that eloquent gentleman, a most pleasing and beautiful production. It was not an elaborate or heavy argument to prove the truth of the resurrection, but accepting that as self-evident just as we accept the many incomprehensible exhibitions in the domain of nature, he dwelt on its importance and power in a life of living faith.

In the Catholic church the decorations were superb and the music of an unusually fine description, rendering the Easter services more than ordinarily interesting. We did not have the pleasure of seeing the floral decorations, but the worshipers in that church say that they were much more elaborate than usual.

In the Reformed church floral decorations more profuse than ever before decorated the handsome new edifice. The music was entirely congregational in its character but was conducted in a more spirited manner than usual. The church, really a liturgical one in its service, on the occasion of the principal feasts, uses the special liturgical service for that occasion. The Easter service, always very beautiful, was rendered in an extremely impressive style on Sunday. The Communion was administered to a larger number than for many years and perhaps larger than ever before. To add to the gratification of the congregation and the solemnity of the occasion, fifteen persons were received into full membership in the church and the rite of confirmation was administered.

In the Lutheran church no effort was made to provide floral decorations although the congregation consider this a very pleasing addition to the Easter rejoicing. The music rendered by the full choir, however, was all new and included a particularly pleasing Easter anthem, the rendering of which showed elaborate and careful preparation. Miss Onmacht is a member of this choir and has recovered the use of her voice. Her splendid voice and careful leadership of the choir were a great addition. Here also the Communion was administered to the largest number that ever partook of it in this church. Nine accessions were made to the church membership, and the vast congregation that attended were highly edified by the service throughout.

James P. Cohick's Arrest.

The Renovo *News* relates the following in regard to the arrest of a prisoner now confined in the Bellefonte jail:

"On the 3d inst. Officer Vernes received a telegram from Chief of Police Westbrook asking him to come to Lock Haven at once. The officer went to Lock Haven on day express and there met Mr. Westbrook and Officer John Malee, of Houtzdale, Clearfield Co., Pa., and found that arrangements had been made for him to assist in the arrest of James P. Kohick, who had fled from Clearfield county some time last November, and is charged with defrauding his creditors to the amount of $5,000. Kohick had been followed to Baltimore last fall by Officer Thomas E. Clark, of Osceola, and escaped into Canada, thence into the Michigan lumber region where he worked during the winter. Lately it was reported to the officers that Kohick had returned to the vicinity of Salidaysburg, Lycoming county, on a visit. On investigation it was found that Kohick during the day time took his Winchester rifle and went to the woods, returning at night to the house where he stayed. Vernes being a stranger in that section went ahead to locate the party, the other officers to follow up and assist in the arrest. Vernes proceeded as far as Jersey Shore when he was wired to return, owing to some mismanagement of the affair. On the 4th inst. Westbrook, Vernes and Malee drove a team from Lock Haven to Salidaysburg, and after taking supper proceeded to drive about three miles farther into the country where Kohick was supposed to be. After walking about five miles through woods and fields, over hills and dales, they halted at the supposed hiding place of the fugitive, at about 11 o'clock at night, and immediately proceeded to surround the house, demanding admission. This being refused the officer at the door sternly forced his claim, and gave the inmates to understand in tones that could not easily be misunderstood, that resistance was useless. The officer gained admission and made the arrest without further resistance. Kohick was brought to Lock Haven and placed in jail to await the train for Clearfield. Kohick summoned an attorney to the jail which caused the officers to become afraid of a writ of "Habeas Corpus" and the usual trouble in such cases, and to avoid anything of this kind Kohick was taken from the jail, placed in a rig and taken a distance of twelve miles to Eagleville, Centre county, Pa., by Officer Vernes who then placed the prisoner on the Bald Eagle Valley train in charge of Officer Malee, who will accompany the prisoner to where anxious parties are awaiting his arrival."

We understand that Kohick has several creditors in Centre county and that he has secured the legal services of ex-Judge Orvis and D. F. Fortney, Esq., two of the most eminent members of the Centre county bar, to act in his defense. He was brought to Bellefonte on Friday, the 4th.

Call for W. C. T. U. Convention.

Never were the prospects for the Temperance cause brighter than they are to-day. The fields are now white for the harvest, only awaiting the sickle of the reaper. The call has gone forth all over the land for the laborers to gather to the great work, and grandly are the women responding, as is seen by the reports of the last National and State conventions of the W. C. T. U. This association has now auxiliaries in every State and Territory in the Union, in every civilized country in the world and even in heathen countries among the missionaries and their converts. The W. C. T. U. of the United States numbers more than one hundred thousand Christian women, and as an organization has received the sanction and endorsement of every religious denomination in the United States. In order, therefore, to unite the Christian women of Centre county in systematic temperance work, we call upon each local organization and church congregation in this county to appoint two ladies from their number to attend a convention to be held in the town of Bellefonte, Thursday, May 8, 1884, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of organizing a county W. C. T. U. auxiliary to the Pennsylvania State W. C. T. U.

MRS. J. P. HARRIS, Pres't.,
MRS. E. M. BLANCHARD, Sec.

—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Col. Tate gathered at the residence of that pleasant couple last Thursday evening, affording them a very agreeable surprise. It was the occasion of Col. Tate's birthday. Just which one we don't know, but he is probably about 25! The event was rendered more interesting by the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Stroub of Altoona who with their two children are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tate.

Senatorial Conference.

The Senatorial Conferees of the Senatorial District composed of Centre, Clinton and Clearfield counties met in the Fallon House parlor in Lock Haven at 1.30 p. m. on Friday April 11, 1884:

On motion, Captain Austin Curtin, of Centre county, was made chairman, and S. D. Ray, Esq., of Bellefonte, secretary.

The conferees answering to their names at roll call were Captain Austin Curtin, J. C. Hicklin and S. D. Ray, from Centre county; M. L. McQuown, W. F. McDowell and Theodore Vandusen from Clearfield; Hugh W. Brown and R. M. Glenn, from Clinton, William Hayes, who had been elected as the third conferee from Clinton county, not being present.

On motion of Hugh W. Brown seconded by Theodore Vandusen the two conferees from Clinton county were allowed to cast three votes. On motion of M. L. McQuown, Theodore Vandusen, of Clearfield county, was placed in nomination as Senatorial delegate to the Harrisburg Convention. There were no other nominations, the Senatorial delegate having been conceded to Clearfield this year, and Mr. Vandusen was unanimously elected.

Mr. R. M. Glenn of Clinton, offered a resolution, which was adopted, that Mr. Vandusen be instructed to support Blaine at the Harrisburg Convention, and Hon. John Patton, of Curwensville, for Congressman-at-Large, and that this resolution be spread upon the minutes.

On motion, conference adjourned.

S. D. RAY, Secretary.

Congressional Conference.

The parlor of the Fallon House, Lock Haven, was the place chosen for the Republican District conference on Friday afternoon. All the counties of this Congressional District were represented.

S. D. Ball, of Clinton County, was the presiding officer, and Capt. Reed, of Mifflin, and Henry A. Parsons, Jr., of Elk county, served as secretaries.

For Delegates to the National Convention there were five nominees, Dr. Thornton of Union and E. A. Irwin, of Clearfield, being elected, with H. O. Chapman and H. H. Wensyl, of Elk, as alternates.

Wm. P. Duncan, of Philipsburg, was elected presidential elector.

A resolution was adopted urging H. T. Harvey, of Clinton county, for delegate at large, and also a resolution recommending Gen. John Patton, of Curwensville, for Congressman at-Large.

Resolutions were adopted instructing delegates to the State and National Conventions to support Blaine for President and Lincoln for Vice President.

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of Walker Grange, No. 345, P. of H., held April 3d, 1884, the undersigned committee was appointed to prepare a tribute of respect to the memory of Brother Henry Beck, deceased. They respectfully submit the following:

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His all-wise providence to remove from among us our worthy brother, be it

Resolved, That in his death his family has lost a kind husband and father, and the church a worthy member.

Resolved, That Walker Grange has lost one of its most highly respected members whose counsel and advice was always of the purest character and appreciated by all.

Resolved, That Walker township has lost one of its most highly respected and noted citizens, whose daily walk is worthy of imitation.

Resolved, That we bow in submission to the will of our Creator, and tender our sympathy to the family and friends of the deceased in their bereavment.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered on our minutes, and a copy be sent to the bereaved family, and be published in the *Framers Friend* and in our county papers. Respectfully submitted.

PETER HOCKMAN
B. F. WINKLEMAN,
DAVID A. DIETRICH,
Committee.

—Last week we referred to the schools of Centre county during the school year which is now about to expire and perhaps erred when we said that they had uniformly been very satisfactory to all concerned. Such is not the case. There are exceptions. Some are indifferent and a few positively bad. But these are only the exceptions that prove the rule. Mr. Wolf has made a most excellent county superintendent and should be again chosen by the directors of the county at their meeting, which will be held next month.

—In consequence of the illness of Mr. Isaac Lose, he did not move into Mr. James Mitchell's house as we announced that he would. That house is consequently tenantless at present.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. F. A. Winter came from State College Thursday evening.

Mr. Olie Meek departed Friday evening for Washington, D. C.

Mr. Wm. P. Duncan departed for Philipsburg Thursday evening.

S. A. Taggart, Y. M. C. A. State Secretary, was in Altoona on Friday.

Mr. Moyer, of Valentines Stores, returned from Renovo on Saturday.

John Lyon, son of Mr. S. S. Lyon, spent Sunday, the 6th, in Bellefonte.

Mr. Lincoln Musser departed on Friday for a visit in the city of Philadelphia.

John A. Gowland has succeeded Jno. W. Mattern as postmaster at Philipsburg.

Mr. Isaac Lose, Jr., of this place, is quite ill. We hope to hear of his speedy recovery.

Harry Hering has returned to the West after a long visit at the home of his parents in Penn Hall.

Miss Rachel Humes departed this morning for Philadelphia, where she will visit for a short time.

Mr. Olie Meek was at home last week. He returned last Thursday to resume his duties in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Benjamin Schroyer arrived last week to spend a few days with her husband's relatives in this place.

Mr. George Bible was a passenger on the 10 a. m. train Thursday. He returned to his duties in the Quaker City.

Mrs. S. Auchenbach is visiting friends in Williamsport, departing on the 10 o'clock train Saturday morning.

Rev. Wm. Laurie, pastor of the Presbyterian church, preached twice on Sunday—his first sermons this year.

Miss Gray, of Philipsburg, is in Bellefonte and is assisting Misses Bradley and Mattern in the Telephone Exchange.

Mr. Eliott Lane celebrated Good Friday by returning home from Camden, N. J., where he has been for quite a long time.

P. G. Meek, D. F. Fortney and other Bellefonte Democrats were in Allentown last Wednesday, nominating a man to be defeated at the polls next November.

Mr. Wm. Laird and Miss Nannie Laird, of Academia, Juniata Co., arrived in Bellefonte on Friday and are guests at the home of their brother, Mr. Robert Laird. A sister, Mrs. George Gross, also resides in this place.

Mr. Richard Crosthwaite, of Philipsburg, is so seriously ill that his friends in this place were telegraphed for. His sister, Miss Emma Crosthwaite, departed on the evening train on Tuesday, the 8th, for that place.

Prof. Swithin Shortlidge, principal of a prominent educational institution located in Media, Pa., is the guest of his brother, Col. Wm. Shortlidge of this place. Prof. Shortlidge favorably impresses all who meet him with his agreeable manners.

Mr. Walter Bayard, of Philipsburg, visited his relatives in Bellefonte last week. His upper lip is adorned with a delightful mustache (we shall not call it a "hirsute appendage" because it is much too handsome for that), but otherwise his appearance is unchanged.

Mr. C. E. Shaffer, who has been teaching during the past winter near Milesburg, was in town last week. He is an unusually able instructor and would suit admirably well in Bellefonte should it be deemed necessary to make any change in the corps of teachers in this place next winter.

Rev. William Laurie, the learned pastor of the Presbyterian church, returned last Wednesday from the South. His large and flourishing congregation in Bellefonte are delighted to know that he has recovered his former health and strength and will now continue his ministerial pursuits with his usual success and energy.

Mr. Moyer, of Valentines Store Co., Lim., departed for Osceola last Wednesday. That town derived its name from the exclamation of a little child when its older sister Olive was eloping. Seeing the carriage depart with the eloping couple the little one cried "Oh, see Ola!" Mr. Moyer don't think it will be necessary to persuade her to elope, however. He will go right in and win in the regular way.

Mr. Jesse Klinger, of this place, is entertaining his aunt and uncle—Mr. and Mrs. Osman, we believe—from the far Northwest, where they have been living for many years. They have with them several relics of life in that part of the country, among which is an Indian's scalp. They like the northwest very much. As this is their first visit in the East for several years their friends are pleased to see them.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. Benjamin Schroyer is visiting relatives in Bellefonte.

Miss Annie Orvis, daughter of Judge Orvis, returned on Saturday from Clifton Springs.

Miss Fannie Goldsmith is at home again after a long and enjoyable visit among friends at a distance.

Mrs. W. E. Burchfield, of Philipsburg, is delighting her Bellefonte friends by her presence among them.

Mr. E. D. Johnson, of Milesburg, is a student of the Coleman National Business College located at Newark, N. J.

Mr. Al. Haupt visited Bellefonte on Saturday and remained here during Sunday, circulating freely among his former friends and making himself generally agreeable. Al. is a very pleasant young man, uniformly cheerful and companionable and a longer visit from him would have been agreeable. He is now clerking in the Potter House in Philipsburg.

Huntingdon Presbytery.

For the benefit of our numerous Presbyterian readers, we condense from the Altoona *Tribune* a few facts in reference to Thursday's proceedings of Huntingdon Presbytery at Bellwood:

The report of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was read by Rev. R. Hamill, D. D.

A minute of respect for the memory of the late Rev. W. J. Gibson, D. D., of Duncansville, was adopted.

Rev. M. L. Cook will be installed pastor of the Philipsburg church on the 24th of April.

The next meeting of the Presbytery will be held in Lower Spruce Creek church on the second Tuesday of June and the fall meeting will be held in Philipsburg on the first Tuesday in October.

The following resolution was offered by Rev. O. O. McClean, D. D., of Lewistown, and adopted:

Resolved, That the delegates of church sessions, at each meeting, be instructed by the Presbytery to make an effort to have the salary of the pastor increased, where it falls below $800.

—A Harrisburg capitalist inspected the process of making steel at the Bellefonte steel works last week, with what intentions we do not know. But, why would not Bellefonte be a suitable location for extensive steel works? We have heard the objection advanced that there is not level ground enough here for that purpose, but others who are more familiar with the subject say that the meadow on which the building now stands is sufficiently commodious. To erect and equip a factory on the Henderson improved plan is not so costly as the old way. The furnace which he uses will cost only $15,000, while other furnaces connot be built for less than $40,000. Such an institution in Bellefonte would aid other industries, particularly the "Bellefonte Nail and Iron Co.," and if the latter firm possessed sufficient capital they would probably operate a steel factory. Here's a good investment for capitalists, and we won't charge anything for the suggestion, either.

—During last week two prominent iron men from Danville were inspecting the ore wealth of this county and are much pleased with the result of their investigations and the visit will doubtless eventually accrue to the development of Centre county's mineral wealth. It has come to our knowledge that there are individuals in our midst—prominent ones, too—who are accustomed to underrate the advantages which our county offers as a location for immense iron manufactories by reason of its mineral wealth and to represent the iron ores of the county as deficient in quality and quantity to those of other regions. This, it seems to us is highly reprehensible even if the development of certain ore lands and the erection of railroads would inconvenience them to some extent. We say then to capitalists, come and examine for yourselves and you will be convinced.

It is not often that such a brilliant coterie of visitors congregate at one place in Bellefonte as are now the guests of the Misses Devling, daughters of Joseph Devling, Esq. They are Mrs. Isaac Williams, Mrs. W. C. Kress, Mrs. G. W. Batchelor, and Miss Minnie Batchelor, all of Lock Haven; and Miss Mamie Polsgrove, of Philipsburg. Miss Batchelor is a charming young lady and is well known in Bellefonte and was the guest of Miss Jennie Reynolds last summer. Miss Polsgrove, who has been here several weeks, will probably remain for some time longer.

The numerous friends of Miss Kate Devling, daughter of Joseph Devling Esq., will be pleased to learn that she is fast recovering from her protracted illness and is now able to be about once again.